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NEW VICTIM ADDED TO HERRIN'S LIST OF DEAD

MAROONS COME FROM BEHIND AND WIN 22-11

Second Team Also Wins Preliminary From Herrin Saturday Night, 13-8.

After sleeping through the first half of the game against Herrin Saturday night, the Maroons of Benton High school awoke and added another cage victory to the tune of 22-11. Perhaps after all Benton was not so much asleep as they were unable to penetrate the strong defence of the Herrin basketeers who appeared on the local floor for the first time this year. It was a real thrilling game, and was well attended by Benton, West Frankfort and Herrin people.

The line up for Benton included Ross and Samuels at the forward positions, Fry at center, and Lowery and Doty guards. Hickman substituted for Samuels in the last three minutes of the second quarter, but Teeny went back in after the half and finished the game in great shape.

Ford and Howell played the forward positions for Herrin, Miller was at center, and McCree and McGee at guard. Substitutes included Neill for Ford and Butkus for Howell.

Ross is credited with caging thirteen of Benton's twenty-two points; seven were made by Fry and two by Samuels. Ford made one point for Herrin, Howell, six; Miller 4, and McCree, three.

At the end of the first quarter things were looking bad for Benton when the score stood 2-3 in Herrin's favor, but the worst came at the end of the half when Herrin continued to lead by a 5-11 score.

That put the fight into the Maroons however, and the scoring as far as Herrin was concerned had been ended. At the end of the third quarter Benton had taken the lead, 14-11, and when the fourth quarter was finished the peppy little warriors of the Maroon were leading 22-11.

In the preliminary game Benton's second team defeated the Herrin second string men 13-8. This was a good game from the start, the players on both teams being above the average for second-team men. Ewell Jones did most of the scoring for Benton, being credited with two field baskets and a free throw; Tommy Quillman got one field basket and a free throw; Gasaway made one field goal, as did Tedrow, and Taylor made a free throw.

Benton was in the lead from the start. At the end of the first quarter end of the half; 12-7 at the third quarter the score was 5-2; it was 10-2 at the ter, and 13-8 at the final whistle.

On Friday night Harrisburg will be here for a game, and on Saturday night DuQuoin will be the attraction on the local floor.

COMMITTEE AGAIN FAVORS NAMING STONE

Action Taken Behind Closed Doors After Hearing Wheeler Objections

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—For the second time the Senate Judiciary Committee today ordered a favorable report on the nomination of Attorney General Stone to be Supreme Court Justice.

The action was taken behind closed dors after the Senators had review again the circumstances surrounding the new legal proceedings held against Senator Wheeler of Montana, and the objections raised to Mr. Stone's arguments before the Supreme Court a year ago as counsel for the Morgan estate in the case. Administration leaders expected confirmation by the Senate without much delay.

Mrs. Lois Fisher and daughter of Macedonia, were business visitors in Benton, Saturday afternoon.

HERRIN DEATH TOLL TOTALS FOURTEEN

HERRIN, Ill., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—A toll of fourteen lives has been taken, directly or indirectly, in Williamson county Klan and anti-Klan warfare in less than a year. The county was known as "Bloody Williamson" even fifty years ago, but first came prominently into the national limelight as a result of the mine riots June 22, 1922, in which twenty-two men were killed.

The record of killings in the last year follows:

February 8—Constable Caesar Cagle, a Klansman, was killed when the Herrin city hospital was riddled by bullets in a disorder following a series of liquor raids led by S. Glenn Young.

May 21—Jack Skelcher, one of the alleged assailants of Mr. and Mrs. S. Glenn Young in an attack the previous night in the Okaw river bottoms, was killed when constables attempted to arrest him at the Herrin city limits.

August 30—Seven men, including Klansmen and anti-Klansmen, were killed in and near the John H. Smith garage at Herrin when Sheriff Galligan and deputies attempted to seize as evidence the bullet-riddled sedan of S. Glenn Young.

January 24—S. Glenn Young and Deputy Shariff Ora Thomas killed each other and two others were slain in a shooting affray in the European hotel building in Herrin.

January 31—A man tentatively identified as Joseph Phillips, an alleged anti-Klansman, was killed in the Lymar hotel at Herrin by Policeman Rufus Whitson.

RE-ORGANIZE K. P. BALL CLUB

Pythians Expect Much Stronger Team Than Last Season.

The Baseball Committee of the Knights of Pythias Lodge met at the Ladies Club Rooms in the Ward building, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and organized by electing J. Clark Phillips, Chairman; Ray Settle, Secretary and Chas. McCollum, treasurer. J. J. Todd was selected as business manager, and Curley Lowery as playing manager. Prospects are that the Club will be much stronger this year than last.

The West City Ball Park will be used under contract by the K. of P. Club. The club had a very successful season last year winning twenty out of thirty games played, and they were up against some very strong teams.

Another meeting will be held soon and further details will be given out. The committee is composed of the following persons: J. Clark Phillips, Ray Settle, Charles McCollum, Lot Lowery and Leslie Odle.

NO SHADOW OF GROUND HOG

Old Timers Say Winter Is Over Since Day is Dark.

Spring is here. No more winter th's year.

That's merely the verdict of Mr. Groundhog, who, according to old-timers who still believe in Santa Claus and groudhogs, came out of his winter quarters for the first time today, failed to see his shadow and decided that the weather would be warm enough from now until fall to permit him to perambulate.

It is fortunate for us that the veteran prognosticator failed to see his shadow, for in event the sun had been shining and he could have seen his silhouette against the muddy field he would have returned to his winter home and remained there forty days and forty nights, until he would be absolutely sure that winter was over.

Personally we haven't much faith in the groundhog theory, but we can hope he's right in this instance.

"OLD MAYOR OF GRESHAM" IN J. P. DERBY

"Hizzoner" M. N. Webb Seeking Re-Election on Democratic Ticket

Justice of the Peace M. N. Webb, came to the Evening News office this morning and stated that he had decided to pitch his hat in the ring again for re-election to the office of justice of the peace.

Judge Webb is quite well known throughout the county and has served in the capacity of justice of the peace in the county for a number of terms, always proving a very capable and efficient officer.

The "Judge" first came into prominence, while engaged in the mercantile business at Gresham, from which place he sent out numerous newspaper stories, concerning his political career, and domestic life, always featuring the "Old Doughbeater" as the principal character.

Judge Webb's years of experience as an officer of the law, has well qualified him for the office which he now holds and for which he seeks re-election.

W. H. Thomas of Buckner was a business visitor in Benton this morning.

I. C. Office Girls Honor Co-Worker

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—Every day, from out of the bustle and noise and confusion of the Illinois Central depot here, where the trains rush and smoke amidst their own clang and clatter, a girl comes. She carries a small roughly-made bag. As if at a signal, scores of pigeons whirl toward her.

With that easily acquired sauciness, these birds of the city peck and flirt their feathers. They fly and make short dives at her, they alight on her shoulders and hands. Quick jabs at the bag betoken their impatience.

The girl tosses them a handful of feed. It is gone, in three rushes and two pecks. Another and another follow, but these also disappear as rapidly and in the same manner as the first, until the bag is empty. There are no signs among the birds that this has in any way allayed their hunger. Another bag appears and disappears, and so it continues until a quantity of feed that cost the girl a neat sum of money, is gone.

She has done this for a long time, every day; and so to show their regard for her, the girls that work along side of Gertrude Huber, gave her this Christmas a silver pigeon. It stands now on her desk in the Auditor of Disbursement Department of the Illinois Central Railroad.

HELD PRISONER FORTY HOURS BY HUGE STONE

Sand Cave Explorer's Strength Slowly Ebbing as Workers Try To Remove Boulder.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—Hope came with the dawn today to Sand Cave where in one of its crooked little crevices three hundred feet from the entrance, Floyd Collins, 35, has lain pinned by a large boulder since Friday morning. A squad of men bringing a portable drill was to leave Louisville early today. With the drill the rescue workers hope to cut away enough of the stone to release the victim.

His strength slowly ebbing Collins devoted his conscious moments to directing the workers who for more than forty hours have been chipping tiny flakes from the huge rock in a futile effort to release Collins' foot, all that was between him and safety Hindered by lack of tools and the narrow passage, the rescue workers have made little headway but have kept unceasingly at their task.

Sand Cave is five miles from the new entrance to Mammoth Cave and is in the region of many unexplored caves and subterranean passages. Collins had gone into the cave Friday morning to explore and was making his way out when the rock fell.

Wants Limb Amputated

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—An offer of $500 for any reputable surgeon who will crawl into Sand Cave to Floyd Collins, chloroform the prisoner and amputate his leg was made today by Homer Collins, brother of the victim, says a special dispatch to the Louisville Post.

Ten feet of the passage in which Collins is lying is only eight inches high, the newspaper correspondent declared. Homer Collins, brother of the prisoner stuck in this narrow passage Sunday while trying to reach his brother. The two although near each other, were held fast for some time, Homer being released after the rescue workers succeeded in pulling him out. The rock holding Floyd Collins is believed to be eight feet long. No one yet has been able to get near enough to raise it except a small boy whose strength was insufficient.

At 9:30 the early morning rescue party returned to the surface and announced that a rock had been removed which they believed would permit more freedom in their work. Another party headed by Marshall Collins, also a brother of the imprisoned man, crawled under the overhanging ledge and into the cave entrance.

Collins appeared to be in a stupor when a correspondent of the Times crawled to his side this morning. A number of questions were unanswered. The victim's hands were swollen it was reported. An oil cloth covered his face so that the dripping ice water would not strike it.

Couple From Herrin Wed Here

Harry Alexander, son of Harry Alexander of Herrin, and Miss Grace Ewing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Ewing, also of Herrin, were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage at noon today by Rev. James Little. They were accompanied by Miss Bertha Williams of Frankfort. The bride and groom will make their home in Herrin.

Christopher Girl Weds Elkville Boy

Russel Kirchner of Elkville and Miss Mary Weber of Christopher were married at the Christian parsonage yesterday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. Samuel E. Fisher. Mr. Kirchner is a soldier at the aviation camp at Rantaul, Ill.

ILLINOIS MAY VOTE ON THREE REFERENDUMS

Important Questions May Be Submitted To People in Near Future.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 31.—(By A. P.)—All citizens of Illinois possibly will have an opportunity to vote on two referendums and those in the city of Chicago may be asked to vote on three, if plans of various state legislators are approved by the General Assembly, a survey here shows.

First on the list is the proposed referendum on the Child Labor Amendment to the consitution. Members of the state house of representatives as well as members of the senate are said to be looking with favor on the proposal to submit the amendment to a referendum. Recently no definite opposition to the move had developed.

Representative Charles La Porte, Peoria, expressed the ideas of a number of legislators when he said: "From a good many angles a referendum seems a logical thing. If the Assembly ratifies the amendment it cannot reconsider its action. If it defeats it, the proposal can always be brought up again for reconsideration. Then, too, it was not an issue in the last campaign and a good many of the members hesitate to vote on it. If the people are given an opportunity to express themselves the course of the General Assembly will be clear. There is no hurry about it and a referendum vote might be the best way out."

Mrs. Katherine Hancock Goode, Chicago, one of the women members of the Assembly, voiced no opposition to the proposal and indicated that it might have an advantage so far as those advocating ratification of the amendment are concerned. This delay in action would permit the education of citizens of the state to a realization of what the amendment actually is, Mrs. Goode said. She expressed the opinion that much material of a misleading nature has been given wide publicity throughout the state by persons opposed to favorable action.

"Delay would give proponents of the measure an opportunity to explain it fully," she declared, "and this would insure victory of the

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NEW HEADLIGHT LAWS PROPOSED

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—Efforts to amend the Illinois law covering automobile headlights will be made from at least two different angles at the present session of the general assembly.

Reed F. Cutler, Lewistown, majority floor leader in the house, opened the subject with the declaration that he would seek enactment of a bill requiring the installation of a device on all automobiles by which headlights many be dipped downward when approaching a motor car coming from the opposite direction. The present dimmer law is not generally observed and has objectionable features, he said.

An entirely different suggestion will be made by Charles H. Francis, Wichita, McHenry county, who expects to sponsor a bill abolishing the dimming law and permitting motorists to keep their headlights on full force at all times. This, he says, would make it easier for motorists to observe the law and be at least as efficient as the present system.

THE WEATHER

ILLINOIS—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, colder tonight. Rising temperature Tuesday afternoon in west and north portions.

Galligan Would End All "Unauthorized" Liquor Raiders

Plans to Ask County Board's Assistance in Preventing Un-Authorized Persons From Carrying on Raids in Williamson County; Boswell Will Not Appear.

MARION, Ill., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—Sheriff George Galligan, avowed anti-Klansman, planned to go before the county board of supervisors late today to ask that measures be taken to prevent the participaiton of unauthorized persons in Williamson County's liquor raids.

States Attorney Boswell ardent Klansman, who planned to appear with Galligan before the board, announced shortly before the meeting that "new developments" had caused him to change his mind. He did not explain what the developments were.

Sheriff Galligan said his plan provided for the co-operation of George Walker and his deputies at Herrin with members of the police force and township constables.

The Herrin board of aldermen postponed for one week its meeting scheduled for tonight in an effort to thrash out the contention of the police force following Chief A. M. Walker's unsuccessful attempt to discharge Patrolman Crain, a Klan supporter.

The Williamson County Grand jury which convened here today was expected to investigate the Herrin killing and possibly the Sheriff's office. Circuit Judge Hartwell gave no instructions other than the method they were to follow.

HERRIN, Ill., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—With a meeting of a grand jury under way today in Marion, it was probable that a more thorough investigation would be made into the slaying of a mysterious stranger in the Ly-Mar Hotel dining room here yesterday by Policeman Rufus Whitson, who was exonerated by a coroner's jury on the ground that he merely discharged his duty as an officer. Efforts to identify the slain man continues.

Saturday night, which has long been a fatal night in making the history of Herrin and Williamson county, again claimed its toll, and another victim was added to the already long list of those who have paid the supreme sacrifice, in the strife which is now going on between the two forces in the county.

Yesterday afternoon coroner's jury was empaneled to inquire into the death of an unidentified gunman who was shot and killed in the kitchen of the LyMar Hotel between 3 and 4 o'clock Sunday morning.

The story as told at the coroner's jury, began with an incident which took place on the streets of Herrin early Saturday evening.

John Smith, Herrin garage owner, at whose place seven men were killed, August 30, had been before the Coroner's Jury, which was in session at the city hall, and was asked to testify as to remarks he was alleged to have made to newspaper men regarding the killing which took place the Saturday night before.

Smith, it was alleged, left the city hall in the company of Harold Crain, police officer. On the steps of the city hall, the two met Mat Walker, chief of police, who demanded that Crain hand over his star, informing Crain that his services were no longer needed on the police force.

Smith was alleged to have told chief Walker that Crain was the only officer who had ever done his duty in Herrin. A few heated words were passed, and Walker is reported to have made a move for his gun, but he was stopper by Crain, who is quoted as saying, "Walker, if you pull that gun I will kill you."

Later it was stated Walker went to Marion, swore out a warrant for

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GOV. SMALL AWAITS ARRIVAL OF GALLIGAN

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—Still awaiting the arrival of Sheriff Galligan's representatives to ask martial law in Williamson County, Governor Len Small this morning received a telegram signed W. J. Keuster, J. P., from Herrin with a report on yesterday's shooting.

"Hold up man wearing Sheriff Galligan's hat and small overcoat, shot by Policeman in Ly-Mar hotel" the telegram said.

The message did not give the "hold up man's" name. It was turned over to Adj. Generl Black.

Governor Small announced today he did not want to see a "representative of Sheriff Galligan by the sheriff himself."

May Sumbit Claims Against Mexico Gov't.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—Claims of citizens of Illinois and other states against Mexico, arising since July 4, 1868, may now be submitted for settlement to joint claims commissions provided for at the conclusion of Conventions between the two countries in September, 1923, Governor Small has been informed.

The Special Claims Commission, created by the Convention of September 10, 1923, is given jurisdiction to hear and determine all claims against Mexico resulting from damages or losses suffered during the revolutions and disturbed conditions which existed in Mexico from November 20, 1910, May 31, 1920, including claims of corporations and associations as well as individuals.

Jurisdiction over all claims for losses or damages of United States citizens against Mexico, except those incident to the revolutionary period, is given to the General Claims Commission.

Time for filing claims before the General Claims Commission is limited to August 30, 1925, but they may be filed with the Special Claims Commission up to August 18, 1926.

Petitions should contain a full and complete statement of the facts and circumstances from which the losses or damages arose, and detailed information about the claimant's citizenship in the United States should be given.

Spanish Vets Seek No Legislation

JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—The Rev. P. J. Thomas of this city, recently appointed legislative aid for Illinois by Chauncey W. Herrick, national commander of the United Spanish War Veterans, will have few favors to ask of the general assembly. He declared that the Spanish War Veterans probably will have no suggestions to make at this session of the legislature.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Pfaff and family of Centralia motored to Benton yesterday, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Engigman and family.

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For Justice of the Peace

We are authorized to announce that F. O. Tyler is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton township, subject to the will of the Republican party at the primary election to be held in April.

We are authorized to announce that D. A. McNEILL is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton township, subject to the will of the Republican party at the primary election to be held in April.

We are authorized to announce that D. M. CRAIG is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton township, subject to the will of the Republican party at the primary election to be held in April.

We are authorized to announce that W. M. HIGGS is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton township, subject to the will of the Republican party at the primary election to be held in April.

For Constable

We are authorized to announce that ED. M. KINSLOW will be a candidate for Constable of Franklin County, Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce that JAMES M. GOLDEN will be a candidate for the office of Constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the Republican party at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce that O. C. BILLEY is a candidate for reelection of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election.

Yours is authorized to announce that JAMES E. PINTCHARD is a candidate for the office of Constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the Republican party at the spring primary or special city election.

CROW VICTIM ADDED TO HERRIN'S LIST DEAD

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John Smith for disturbing the peace, and demanded that the city of Herrin be placed under martial law.

The man charged in the Saturday night affair, was related at the coroners inquest as taking place at the Urban Hotel between 1 and 2 o'clock Sunday morning.

Night Policeman Sim Stevens and R. C. Whitson were in the lobby of the hotel when Whitford came in to walk out on the street for a while, leaving Stevens in the hotel. On the street he met Ernest Wilson, hotel towards Park avenue, Whitson stated he saw a car parked on the wrong side of the street and went over to it. The young man in the car stated he was from Harrisburg, and was not acquainted with the Herrin parking law. He told the officer that his boddy was in the restaurant getting some sandwiches, and they would go as soon as he came out.

While the conversation was taking place between the officer and the man in the car, two men entered the hotel restaurant, one purchased a cigar and another called for four hamburgers. One of the men was described as being rather small and slender while the other was above the average in size.

After purchasing the cigar the two men walked into the hotel lobby and asked night clerk Ed Stockton where if the St. Louis Post-Dispatch reporter was there. Upon being informed that the reporter was in his room the two men asked to be shown to the room. The reporter was informed that he told the clerk to send the men up to the room.

The testimony stated that the larger of the two men told the reporter that he had a story he wanted him to have. He said a man had started from Herrin to Herrin with a machine gun in his car and that about half way between the two cities, some-one had killed him. The large man wanted the reporter to go with him and was sitting down, the reporter stated that the man was drinking heavily, and he asked him to leave.

As the two men left the reporters room, the large man stated he would have said that he wagged to see Matt Walker.

Coming down into the lobby again the big man asked the night clerk if Clem Crow Fowler, former guard of S. Glenn Young, resided. He then asked the clerk to call up the Fowler home, stating that he wanted to talk with Fulkerson. Mrs. Fowler, Clem's mother, answered the phone and the man told her to have young Fowler come to town that he had a warrant for his arrest, charging him with impersonating a state officer. Mrs. Fowler informed the man that her son was asleep, and she did not intend to awaken him.

The man told Mrs. Fowler his name was Johnston, and that he was from Springfield. He had previously given the clerk Pinkerton.

Being informed that Fowler would be down early in the morning, he returned from the phone, and started talking to the night clerk and the bell boy.

"What is the matter with you people around here? I wanted to have asked, "you are always killing someone."

With that he whipped out a big gun and told the boys behind the counter to "stick 'em up." The boys were made to size around from behind the counter and the man still holding the gun on them went behind the counter and ordered the bell boy to tempt to hother anything. He then took the cash out, and told the boys to stay in the lobby while he went into the restaurant. As soon as the man left and his partner passed into the restaurant, night policeman Stevens who had been suffering a severe headache, and had fallen asleep in one of the chairs in the lobby of the hotel was awakened.

Stevens went into the lunch room and saw the little fellow holding a gun on the restaurant man, the large man was in the kitchen. Stevens made the little fellow hand over his gun, and then leaving the big man in the kitchen went back to see what the trouble was. The little fellow ran out the front door.

In the kitchen the man who had given his name as Johnston, was quarreling with the cook, and asked him what was the matter with all the Herrin people, and why they killed so many people. When Stevens entered the kitchen, the man turned on him, and demanded that he put up his hands. A scuffle ensued, and the gun in the hands of the man was fired twice, one time, Officer Whitson, who all the while had been talking to the man in the car, ran around to the rear of the lunchroom and came through the door just in time to see the big man place a gun to Stevens' temple. Whitson fired, the bullet going entirely through the man and hitting Stevens in the shoulder. The man dropped to the floor and died a few minutes later. The other two men made their escape.

The body was taken to the undertaking parlors, and the coroner's inquest held yesterday afternoon. The man was recognized by several citizens who said they had seen him several times Saturday in company with City Judge Bowers.

He was identified by Robert Cargill, of Johnston City, and by Judge William Howard, a former bartender of Bickwell, Ind.

After hearing the evidence the jury found that the dead man came to his death by a gun shot wound in the hands of police officer Whitson, being justifiable homocide.

There was no identification papers of any sort in the man's clothing, although a wallet was said to have belonged to Sheriff Gallagan.

Gallagan it was stated, denied ever having any knowledge of the man, and could not account for the hot shots he had had been hanging around the hill and had stolen it.

Clem Fowler, in an interview with an Evening News reporter, Sunday night appeared very calm, and stated that he did not know why anyone should be after him unless it was because he had been a close friend to the dead raider, S. Glenn Young, and he had been with him on several occasions.

WIFE OF SENATOR MEANTS IS DEAD

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 2.—(A. P.)—The session of the Illinois senate scheduled for today has been cancelled and all members of the body will go to Ashkum, Illinois, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hilda Meents, wife of Senator Meents, head of the appropriation committee of the Senate which will be held tomorrow afternoon.

ILLINOIS MAY VOTE ON THREE INCOME AMENDMENTS

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amendment on the ballot. For the most part, however, we are inclined to characterize the movement as a subterfuge by which legislators hope to evade accepting responsibility for a vote on the amendment. This is and was a contended issue in the last campaign carries little weight as a political argument. Both the Republican and Democratic parties adopted it in their platforms.

The round proposed state-wide referendum may result from an effort to get the question before the state search and secure act.

Representative Charles H. Weber, Chicago, will urge the passage of a bill submitting the income tax amendment to a referendum vote. The writer believe that such a move will prove more successful than an effort to recall the act by vote of the legislators on the theory that some lawmakers who are inclined to the dry side will support the move for a referendum because of the principle that the people of the state should have the final word. We are confident that their measure will pass in the House but is problematical regarding its fate in the senate. The days are prepared to contest the referendum in the senate.

The third referendum, which should be submitted to the city of Chicago, may result from a bill which will be introduced in the legislature by Senator A. J. O'Toole, Chicago. It will provide that the people of Chicago determine by referendum the number of members of city licensed shall be increased. The present Illinois liquor control act does not provide for an increase in the city of all firemen, beginning with the year 1925 and continuing through all classes.

Would Force Stop On Entering All State Highways

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—The proposal to require motorists to stop at state roads "arterial highways," and requiring all traffic to come to a full stop before entering them from side roads, will be sponsored by the Illinois Motor Club and Chamber of Commerce, at the meeting here February 12 of the Illinois Motor Club and Chamber Secretaries and Managers.

The Springfield club will request that the association take up the request that the legislature enact the proposal.

Another proposed law to be considered by the club will provide a certificate of competency of all automobile drivers.

Major E. C. Thornton, manager of the Vermilion County Automobile club and president of the Illinois association has sent out the call for the meeting. E. E. Mahaffey, manager of the Illinois Motor club at Rock Island and Hon. Louis Emmerson, of the legislative committee. That the club representatives will take a positive stand against a gas tax in Illinois is a foregone conclusion and most of the individual clubs have already taken action, Thornton said.

Clubs at Danville, Decatur, Alton, Peoria, Rock Island, Moline, Bellevilla, E. St. Louis, and Springfield will be among the cities represented.

First Christian

Organ Recital Delights Audience

The Organ Recital on the First Christian Church, given by Mrs. H. V. Adamson was a delight to a large audience of music lovers. A delication from the DuQuoin church attended the recital. The program consisted of selections from the music of eleven nations. Mrs. Adamson displayed splendid taste in the selection of her types and gave a fine interpretation of every number. By actual count the audience which assembled through a downpour of rain was well satisfy the size of the morning attendance. Mrs. Adamson will be heard here for several weeks.

The Junior Congregation broke their record for attendance yesterday with 115 children present.

It was a cold day for the church.

The Bible School Worker's Conference eight appears very calm, and said that he did not know why anyone should be after him unless it was because he had been a close friend to the dead raider, S. Glenn Young, and he had been with him on several occasions.

Gat "Fool's Gold"

Sir Martin Frobisher, the English navigator, returned to England with what he judge of gold. He was sold on an ore, supposed to contain 20 ounces of fine gold, and on each occasion brought back nothing but ore.

Wish She Opened the Box.

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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A NO thing all my dear Miss Lisa, and Judge Pinscher pulled his wash, might figure which out will be the other fellow's.

Of course it was splendid of Uncle Ben to remember me in all among so many nieces and nephews and daughters of friends. Lots of relations stood leaning her fair face. "I really haven't any right to the money, in fact most times I come in the city to spend some of it, I feel like a poor fool of dad and mother, and I don't know something for me to do a little bit of money for me who you wonder that I was remembered in his will. It is horrid of me to be so ungrateful." I am sure that I would contribute the rest of my if I agreed with you, dear child. However, the law states that your Uncle Jerrico Hines and leave his beloved lawyer, Miss Olive Bliss, one carved mahogany box, with instructions that it be given to him in mind that the contents may be nothing but some worthless curios. Your uncle brought home all sorts of things from Egypt."

"It doesn't matter, Judge Thatcher," said Miss Olive—Miss Olive wrapped the delicately carved box in its tissue and other tissue paper, and finally in stout wrapping paper, "I shall be open to it some because really dear."

"Why, I don't know, I'm just hearty, "You've got the right spirit. Miss Olive, I'm sure that you are a good family friend, and if you find anything of deep sentimental value, rather difficulty—be sure and come to the judge."

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The next day Miss Olive sat in a busy office. Miss Bliss was giving her attention to a pile of letters and its unknown contents. She had opened one letter, and was reading her despair, frank, resolved to keep it for a time. Her eyes had fallen had shared more or less generously in the Jerrico Hines's will, and equalizing valuably over the will. Miss Olive was not a beautiful guesta, but as the critics are not so large as it was expected by the Jerrico Hines had experienced rough money as a collection of the Jerrico Hines's will, and before his death and would not be treated, and would not be treated, and would not be treated,

PERSONALS

DOUGLAS SCHOOL ENTERTAINS FOR TEACHER

The Departmental pupils of the Douglas school together with their teachers, Miss Florence Armstrong, Mr. Gasaway and Principal, Mrs. C. E. Williams, planned a very unique surprise on the geography and reading teacher, Robert Hungate, Jr., who recently became a benedict.

On Friday at 3:30 p. m. the pupils filed into the assembly room where the following program was rendered:

Music—5th and 6th Grades.
Instrumental solo—Miss Armstrong
Reading—Eleanor Etherton.
Reading—Mr. Gasaway.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Williams.

At four o'clock Mr. Hungate who had not been given a place on the program, was called upon to assist in his part of the entertainment.

The much embarrassed young husband and his brand new wife were seated at a table and presented with a very large important looking bundle. They were told to open the bundle at once—commands were obeyed—The task was no small one; wrapping after wrapping was removed until at last the weary couple got to the last small, very small package, and found—Oh joy! "Two Penny All Day Suckers." As this was the climax of the joke, the children all felt they had been entertained long enough at the expense of their worthy teacher. At this time another large bundle was presented to them, with only one wrapping and contained a beautiful crinkle bedspread of the newest and most popular creation, along with congratulations and best wishes from the pupils of the four rooms in which he is one of the instructors.

ELD. FISH WRITES FROM CALIFORNIA

The Evening News is in receipt of a letter from Eld. W. A. Fish, of this city who is visiting relatives in California. Mr. Fish gives no information concerning his health nor the enjoyment of his visit, but these are taken for granted. He asks that the address of his Evening News be changed from Fontana to San Diego, Calif., and promises to write "a little news for your good paper later."

A. R. C. CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY

The A. R. C. Club will meet Tuesday evening with Miss Frankie Shanks at the home of her sister Mrs. Matthews, 901 North Buchanan street. Plans for an entertainment are to be discussed and each member is urged to be present. The contest will end in one more week. Who is going to be the winner?

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The February meeting of the Benton Woman's Club will be held at the Benton Country Club, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This is the annual social affair and there will be no charges.

DELPHIAN SOCIETY MEETS TOMORROW

The Delphian Society will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. G. W. Gore, 231 North McLeansboro Ave., Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All memebrs are urgently requested to attend.

Misses Eloise Fozel, Lillian Peebles Elsie Musgraves, Louise Fylnn, Ruth Hayes, and Irene Kern, of Ewing College were in Benton shopping today.

Ray Jones who is attending the University of Illinois is spending a few days with his parents, between semesters.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ferrel of Herrin were the guests of Mrs. Ferrels parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Biggs and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Odle were in Herrin yesterday the guests of Oris McNeal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker of Logan were the guests of Mrs. Barker's sister, Mrs. Millard Cremeens and family, Sunday.

Miss Irene Space, daughter of Dale Space of Valier, had her tonsils and adenoids removed in Dr. Johnson's hospital this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Pope of Du Quoin attended the recital given by Mrs. V. R. Adamson, at the First Christian church, Sunday evening.

Good Timothy Hay, $16 pe rton at Webb's Hill, McLeansboro state road 1 1-2 miles from us, good dirt road balance way.—A. N. Webb & Son. 4*6

Val Harrelson who has been confined to the local hospital for several weeks was able to return to his home in West Frankfort, yesterday.

JERRY ON THE JOB — Something Had to Be Done — By Walter Hoban

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Center and daughter spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Center's sister, Mrs. F. B. Sparks and family of West Frankfort.

Miss Virginia Brown arrived home yesterday from Champaign for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown and friends.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. Harry Payne who is a patient at the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium in St. Louis is much better.

Attend the Bass Fashion Shop Clean Sweep Sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Clem and daughter of Herrin were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Cremeens and family Sunday.

Tony Londikis returned to his home in Orient yesterday after spending several days in the Moore hospital here.

Men and Women, to secure Members—$3 to $20 a day. Write Illinois Protective Ass'n., Springfield, Ill. *130

Mrs. J. L. Knight attended the funeral of Dr. Harrison at Christopher Saturday afternoon.

Big Clean Sweep Sale now on. Come—Bass Fashion Shop.

Pete Zandi, who has been a patient in the Moore hospital returned to his home in Coello yesterday.

Louis "Mike" Hunt, who attends the University of Illinois is spending a few days with friends in Benton.

Miss Addie Phillips of Webb's Hill was the guest of friends in Benton Saturday.

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Wardlend Dairy, phone 722. 280tf

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cox were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown.

J. M. Seymour and Joe Hill attended the Marbury funeral in Marion yesterday.

Last Chance. Velvet hats $1.00 at Style Shop. 2512

Brown McCampbell has accepted a position with the Kroger Company in Carbondale.

Mrs. Ernest Pryor and son of West Frankfort were visitors in Benton Saturday afternoon.

Miss Justine Rotramel spent the week end with Miss Ruby Harris of DuQuoin.

Charlie Kinman left this morning on a business trip to St. Louis and Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kiegley motored to Du Quoin yesterday and spent the afternoon with Mr. Keigley's father.

Connie Ritter of West Frankfort was a visitor in Benton Sunday evening.

Miss Agnes Summers and Miss Thelma Pearce spent Sunday afternoon with friends in West Frankfort.

Mrs. Earl Martin returned Saturday night from a weeks visit in St. Louis.

Big Clean Sweep Sale now on. Come—Bass Fashion Shop.

Dickie Meads visited with his parents, in Johnston City, Sunday.

Frank Mills is reported very ill at his home on North Main street.

Dr. J. Ezra Phillips of Webb's Hill visited in Benton Saturday afternoon.

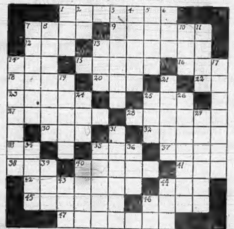
Don Brown is transacting business in Eldorado today.

Dr. Eddie Davis was a visitor in Anna, yesterday.

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 43



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Horizontal.

1—Tast d
7—Preposition
9—Jumped
12—Informal note
13—Brutal
14—Wield diligently
15—Flower
16—Small barrel
18—Weary that I am!
20—Consumed
22—Note of musical scale
23—Transport again (re
25—Eye (poetic)
27—Dextrous
28—A lament
30—Still
32—Boredom
33—Preposition
34—Age
37—A few closing measures added on at the end of a musical composition
38—Novel
40—Too bad!
41—Ohio metropolis (abbr.)
42—Sincere
44—In the month preceding the present
45—Soak
46—Pillage
47—Model

Vertical.

1—Old French coin
2—Part of verb "to be"
3—Enough
4—Contract for occupancy
5—Facile
6—Section (abbr.)
7—Anything that occupies
8—Compensation paid to owner of a patent for use of it
10—Deer
11—One who stains
13—Sheep's bleat
14—Model of excellence
17—Blue flower
19—More secure
21—French monetary unit
24—Destroy the interior of
25—Boy's name (Swedish)
26—Field glass
29—Quality of being naked
31—Broken violently (sim. sp.)
34—Require
35—Choose
36—Do
39—State of using violence against others
40—Girl's name
43—Ribbed woolen fabric
44—Vase
46—Two of a kind (abbr.)

Solution will appear in next issue.

Louis Bass of Christopher was the guest of I. Bass and family Monday.

Miss Rule Rice spent the week-end with Miss Kate Harris of Marion.

Mrs. Elmer Armstrong is off duty at Young's on account of illness.

Dr. W. A. McKee was a visitor in Mt. Vernon, Ind., yesterday.

Hospital for Care of Tuberculous Veterans

It is not generally known that the American Legion is conducting one of the best hospitals for the care of tuberculous veterans in the country today. This institution is at Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., and is operated for service men and women for service men and women. It is known as the Roosevelt American Legion hospital and the wonderful success it has attained is due in the main to the co-operation of the Legion posts and auxiliary units of Michigan. The valuation of the property holdings is placed at $1,250,000. The hospital admitted 260 patients for treatment during the fiscal year.

The Diner Again

Angry Diner—Walter, you ought never to have brought this coffee from the kitchen. It's too weak to stir.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Egotism

It is only when a man is complimented that he thinks he is seeing himself as others see him.—Boston Transcript.

Gold Far Below Ground

The greatest depth at which gold has as yet been excavated from the earth is 4,200 feet (about three-fourths of a mile), at the New Chum mine, in Australia.

Solution of Puzzle No. 42.

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Seek Amendment To Law On Note Endorsements

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 2.—(By A. P.)—An amendment to the court practices act to protect persons who sign judgment notes will be urged at the present session of the general assembly by F. W. Rennick, Buda, Bureau county, a member of the lower house.

Rennick would require that judgment by confession be taken only in the county in which the defendant resides.

It is a common practice, he asserted, for goods of all kinds to be sold to farmers and others who are encouraged to sign notes confession judgment in any court of record on the date the note falls due.

Failure of the purchaser to meet the note, for any cause whatever, he said, usually results in judgment being taken in a court at some distant point and the result is that the defendant usually has no means of protecting his interest because of the distance of the court in which judgment is taken and the high cost of fighting such action at long range.

Marriage Licenses

J. N. Eubanks, 64, Benton, and Maggie True, 58, West City.

Joe Slimak, 22, Stiritz, and Mary Prusaczyk, 18, West Frankfort.

Harry Alexander, 26, and Grace Ewing, 28, both of Herrin.

Lored Marks, 21, West Frankfort, and Velma Rogers, 19, Thompsonville.

Russel Kirckner, 21, Elkville, and Mary Weber, 19, Christopher.

John Lewis Tucker, 19, and Lula May Harben, 19, both of Benton.

Everett Smith, 21, and Fay Cross, 18, both of Johnston City.

Evan Edmonds, 40, and Wilma Webb, 25, both of West Frankfort.

Frank Kapesky, 28, Christopher, and Noma Hicks, 18, Ina.

James Stubbins, 36, and Lola Baldwin, 22, both of Sesser.

Willie Culpepper, 20, Caldwell, and Ruth Meness, 16, both of West Frankfort.

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Condemn Land For Hard Road

GALESBURG, Ill., Feb. 2.—(Condemnation proceedings are to be started soon against three farmers to secure the right of way needed for the paved road between this city and Knoxville, it has been announced. H. A. and C. C. Craig and W. H. Henderson who refused the offers for their land made by the right of way committee from the two cities, are the object of the proceedings. Henderson was offered $2,500 for two acres and the Craigs $3,500 for five acres but they refused because of the way the road would cut their farms up.

Options on the rest of the land needed for the five-mile strip of paving have been secured.

Read the Classified Column

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of J. J. Bundy, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of J. J. Bundy, late of the county of Franklin, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Franklin County, at the Court House in Benton, Illinois, at the April Term, on the 1st Monday in April next at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated at Benton, Illinois, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1925.

ELLA BUNDY, Administratrix.
W. P. Seeber, Attorney.
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Illinois Central System Shows That the Public Owns the Railroads

One reason why American railroads are well established in the confidence of the public today is that they have rendered wonderfully efficient service in recent periods of record traffic. Another reason is that the public is becoming more conscious of the wide extent to which railway securities are distributed among the people. Nearly every citizen is either directly or indirectly a holder of railay securities. Therefore, anything that affects the railroads affects the whole economic structure of the country.

The Illinois Central System, for example, started 1925 with nearly 22,000 stockholders, an increase of more than 100 per cent in the last nine years. At the beginning of 1924 our American railroads as a whole had more than 800,000 stockholders, an increase of more than 30,000 during the preceeding year. The number of individual bondholders undoubtedly runs even greater, since bonded indebtedness in 1923 was nearly 57 per cent of the total outstanding capitalization of our railroads. On a comparative basis, this would make the total number of individual bondholders slightly more than one million.

The number of individual holdings of stocks and bonds of our railroads is therefore about 1,800,000 which is approximately equal to the number of employes.

These 1,800,000 holding of railway securities, moreover, are merely the direct holdings. Indirectly railway securities present the interest of many millions of persons. Insurance companies and savings banks are among the largest holders of railway securities. More than $2,000,000,000 of the funded debt of the railroads is owned by life insurance companies alone. More than $1 out of every $5 invested as a reserve behind each of the fifty million life insurance policies in force in this country is invested in railway bonds.

The thirty-nine million savings bank depositors in the United States likewise have their deposits guaranteed in part by railway securities.

When all of these indirect holders of railway securities are considered in connection with the direct holders, it can be seen that most of the people of this country have—and they are coming to realize it—an ownership interest in the success or failure of our railroads.

It has been well and truly said this "Main Street" and not "Wall Street" that owns the railroads today. By constantly widening the circle of patrons and employe holders of railway securities, our citizens are fast establishing an ownership of our railroads that is public ownership in its truest and most beneficial sense.

In no respect does the Illinois Central System claim perfection for itself. In the matter of service to the public, however, it does claim to be the equal of any railroad in this country. Our ambiton is to continue to increase the efficiency of our service to the public until it has become as nearly perfect as railway service can be. That is the task which we have set for ourselves. We ask the co-operation of our friends and patrons in its accomplishment.

Constructive criticism and suggestions are invited.

C. H. MARKHAM,
President, Illinois Central

Classified Ads

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—bed room modern, $12 per month. Call 496W. 304tf

FOR RENT—5-room house at 1301 North Main. Apply 305 N. Commercial. 6tf

FOR RENT—Brick building, suitable for retail store in West City. Telephone 334.

FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment. 214 Pope St. 23*6

FOR RENT OR SALE—4-room house. A. A. Dungy 609 W. Washington. 23*4

FOR RENT—2 or 3 room apartment with bath, lights and heat. 406 W. Main. Phone 209-W. 24tf

FOR RENT—3 light housekeeping rooms, nicely furnished. 503 S. Main. Phone 524-W. 24*5

FOR RENT—6-room house, city water, lights, garage, on pavement at 412 W. Webster. Inquire at 414 West Webster, south door. 25*4

FOR RENT—Furnished 5 room bungalow, with basement, piano included. Meadows, North Maple. 27t3

FOR RENT—5 room house in good location. 807 N. 8th St. 27*3

WANTED

WANTED—Office partner to occupy desk room in furnished office. Inquire Geo. A. Powers at First National Bank. 276tf

Salesladies EVERYWHERE to sell Pie-Wic house frocks direct to wearer; no investment; easily earn $35 weekly; all or part time. Write today. Pickwick Mfg. Co., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Tie makers at camp on I. C. cut-off, apply Draege Lumber Co., at No. 3 Camp near Macedonia or to Mr. Wyatt, 501 Smith St., Benton, between 6 and 7 o'clock any evening. 25*6

AGENTS WANTED — Tailoring agents, specialty salesmen, mechanics, clerks wanted in every locality to take orders for men's all wool suits direct from featory to wearer. Real $40 values at $23.75 are easy to sell; spare time or full; $60 to $90 a week; commission in advance; no delivering or collecting. Powerful sample outfit free by return mail.—Longworth & Sons, Dept. 866, 1301-11 W. Congress St., Chicago.

WOMEN—Earn big money making Bungalo Aprons at home during spare time. Enclose 2c stamp for particulars. Rosemary Apron Co., Asbury Park, N. J.

WANTED—A steamer trunk. Call 324-R. 27t3

LOST

LOST—Crank to Chevrolet car. Return to Evening News office.

LOST—city license plate No. 697. Return to 1102 S. Main. Reward, Gene Stewart. 24t3

FOUND

FOUND—Pointer bird dog. Owner can have same by calling at 1108 N. McLeansboro and giving description and paying for this adv. H. C. Mitchell. 24*3

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Store and four room house. Enoch Stanevich, 606 N. Stuyvesant St. 75*6

FOR SALE OR TRADE—6-room house, good as new. 1004 N. Main. Herbert Summers. 20*8

FOR SALE—three-piece davenette set, table to mach; two rugs and oil stove. Inquire Benton Variety or 215 Madison street Sunday morning. 25t2

FOR SALE—Red Top seed, $1.50 per bushel at Ewing Mill. 25*4

FOR SALE—No. 1, Black Seed Oats 35 lb. test on tract at Whittington, about 5th and 6th of Feb., at 80c per bushel. Pearce Brothers, Ewing, Illinois. 26*4

FOR SALE or TRADE—Sanitary display grocery counter at real bargain. J. R. Neunlist, Logan, Ill. 25*3

FOR SALE—Good cow, fresh in May, now giving small amount of milk. Part Jersey. Henry Taylor, 517 Smith St. 27*3

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5 room house for land on hard road, good garage and barn, good water. Bargain if sold at once. N. McLeansboro, close to Grant School.—Reuben Lampley. 27*4

FOR SALE OR RENT—7-room house at 302 N. Madison. Inquire 408 Buchanan. 27*6

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GALLOPING BUNGALOWS

Ewing Route Two

At the present time we are having some real cool weather, which makes us all sit near the fire.

The melancholy days have come, some sit around the fire and read books, while others piece quilts, pop corn and embroidery to pass away the time.

Mrs. Shelby Niffin, who has been confined to her bed for some time with a hard attack of pneumonia fever is very slowly improving.

Clarence Bolen is working at Webbs Hill at present.

We hear Mrs. Elzie Kearney is contemplating setting her incubator in the near future.

Raymond Robinson and Ethel Sink Arthur McKay and Ora Sink spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Lillie Campbell and Roscoe Payne.

We have another snow on the ground at present which we were all sorry to see, seems as tho we are having a great deal of snow this winter.

Miss Pearl Carlton called on Miss Sarah Page Saturday afternoon.

Miss Zelma Snyder of Mt. Vernon accompanied Mr. Bruce Fowler to see his best girl, Miss Nellie Johnson Saturday night and Sunday.

Byron Legendre, Howard and Lester Richardson and Carl Bolen spent a few hours of Tuesday night at the home of Calvin Sink.

Miss Verda Campbell returned to her work in East St. Louis Saturday after a short visit, with home folks.

Willie and Frank Richardson went to Benton Wednesday and removed Bill Wagner and family back to their farm near Snowflake.

Gus Page, Lena Shetler, Roscoe Payne and Lillie Campbell attended church at Frisco Saturday night.

Logan Carlton and wife spent one day of last week at the home of Jim Boster.

Wilford Johnson and Homer Meadows who attend school in Benton spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Ora and Ethel Sink and Lillie Campbell visited the Accommodation school Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Pearl Carlton returned to her school work in Benton, Monday, after spending the week end with home folks.

Arthur McKay returned to see Miss Ora Sink Sunday afternoon after a three weeks absence on account of Mr. Sinks having the whooping cough. The people along the road have missed Mr. McKay passing very much so we hope he will not have to miss coming any more.

Miss Madge Carlton was shopping in Macedonia Saturday afternoon.

Ray Bain and wife of Benton spent a few hours of Sunday night at the home of her father, L. W. Fisher.

P. W. Fisher of near Macedonia was a business caller at the home of H. D. Campbell, Wednesday.

Some of the young folks have taken a great interest in playing rook these wintery nights.

Mrs. Ellen Bolen spent one evening of last week with Mrs. Mary Shetler.

Marian Richardson delivered a load of corn to Sam Hallowell in Dahlgren, Thursday.

Elzie Kearney assisted Ralph Phillips in butchering Thursday.

Miss Lena Shetler spent Tuesday night with Miss Lillie Campbell.

Earl Waggoner and family were Wednesday night visitors at the home of Ralph Phillips.

Allen Bolen assisted W. G. Shetler in butchering Thursday.

There was an old fellow named Slater
Who did very well as a waiter,
Till some slippery peel,
Got under his heel,
And he swallowed a hot baked potato

Poet Laureates

The naming of a poet laureate is an English custom. The United States has never named one, and as far as it is possible to learn does not contemplate using the custom. Several of the states have poet laureates.

If you are looking for a house for rent read the Classified Column.

BUCKNER

By RUTH [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ludwig and daughter Grace LaVerne spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howe in West Frankfort.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Breeze spent Sunday in Thompsonville with Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Carter.

Christopher Harris, residing near Cornerville, east of Thompsonville, died Saturday night after a very brief illness. He is to be buried tomorrow. Mr. Harris was the father of Mrs. W. R. Dudley and Luther Harris of this city.

Geraldine Adams of Christopher spent the week end with her brother, Connie Adams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas went to Dowell yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Clotine Brown and daughter Effie were in Christopher Saturday visiting a dentist.

Mrs. Walter Head left Saturday morning for Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Rollo have had as their guest their daughter, Mary, of East St. Louis, who returned home Saturday.

Mrs. John McGreve was in Christopher Saturday.

Misses Anna, Rosa and Tillie Pintar and Mrs. Mary Slipovitch went to Christopher Sautrday afternoon.

Today's Radio Program

WEEI, Boston—6 Sinfonians; 7 soprano; 7:15 pianist; 7:30 Bostonians 8:30 choral.

WGR, Buffalo—6 music; 7:25-10 musical; 10:30 musical.

WMAQ, Chicago News—6 organ; 6:30 violin.

WGN, Chicago Tribune—6 organ; 6:30 concert ensemble, string, quartet.

WEAR, Cleveland—6 music.

WFAA, Dallas News—6:30 melody boys; 8:30 band.

WOC, Davenport—7:20 educational; 8 musical; 10 string trio, reader.

WCX, Detroit Press—7:30 musical.

WBAP, Ft. Worth—7:30 dance; 9:30 band.

WDAF, Kansas City—6-7 school of the air; 8-9:15 popular; 11:45-1 Nighthawks.

WHB, Kansas City—7-8 address, music.

WMC, Memphis Commercial Appeal—8 bedtime story; 8:30 organ.

WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul—6 sport 8 lecture; 8:30 program; 10:30 dance.

WHN, New York—6:10 fashion chats; 6:20 orchestra; 6:35 orchestra; 7 talk; 7:05 dance; 7:50 music; 8:35 orchestra; 9 Radio Shack.

WOR, Newark—7:15 musical; 8:30 talk; 8:45 music reviews; 9:45 orchestra; 10:15 tow men singing orchestra.

WDAR, Philadelphia—6:55 talk; 7:30 recital; 8:30 concert; 9:03 orchestra.

KDKAA, Pittsburg—6:30 children; 7 Girl Scouts; 7:15 address; 7:30 concert.

WGY, Schenectady—6:45 talk; 7 Hawaiian four.

KSD, St. Louis—7 music, specialties; 9 music; 10:45 recital, soprano, pianist.

COURT SETINGS

Monday, February 2

2029—People vs Anderson et al.
2089—People vs Fred Goodard and Louise Byrn.

Tuesday, February 3

2079—People vs. James Kelley.
2083—People vs James Kelley.
2085—People vs James Kelley.
2086—People vs James Kelley.

Wednesday, February 4

2091—People vs Frank Durham and James Sample.
2078—People vs Alex Wilson.

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2061—People vs George Danko.

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Ellen's Great Temptation

By MARTHA WILLIAMS

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ELLEN, picking blackberries from the hedgerow, felt wearisome of all things in her daily round. She wished not for things, but wings—they would take her high and far. Nineteen, slim, lithe, and tough as a hickory sapling, a sure shot, no matter what the weapon, reckless rider, knowing and loving fields, woods, hills and waters, what was there to fear? Mar granny said. Ellen had laughed at that; she could more than hold her own with the best of them—or the worst. Brush Creek to a man admitted the fact—with reservations. "Ellen March had better look out! She's a female, in spite of bein' so owdacious," said Sister Maul, the minister's wife, through pursed lips. The Missionary society nodded assent, but whispered aside, behind its collective hands, that she would never forgive the ducking Johnny Maul had got at the fishing party for trying to kiss Ellen as "fisher's right" for catching the biggest trout.

Ellen smiled impishly as Johnny came riding down the lane. She was bare-headed, filling her straw hat with big dead-ripe berries, now that basket and bucket overflowed. Johnny stormed at her: "Here you; take my hat! Put it on, I tell you!" with the last word sending a bigger straw sailing across the hedgerow to light almost on her head. Next second it sailed back to him, with better aim, taking him full-face and poising solidly over the bulging forehead. Smothering an oath, he raised both hands to it. As the reins fell loose, a fly stung the black colt he had under saddle. Instantly the creature set teeth on the bit, bolted, and ran his best. Ellen laughed to see it, but went on with her picking.

Halfway across the old field she meant to rest under the big walnut, but recoiled suddenly from its welcome shade as Clem Sheldrake sprang up crying: "Just the girl I want to see—most and worst. What good wind blew you?"

"When did you go blind?" Ellen asked pointedly.

"You do look fit to drop," Clem said solicitously. "Rest awhile—then I'll carry the load for you—at least as far as the stile."

"I see! You can learn some things," Ellen retorted, "but not all. Anybody told you about dad's new rifle? It shoots a long way further'n the big gate. Moreover, my old parent is mighty hard-headed; when he told you not to pester anything belonging to him, he meant it—every word."

"Do I pester you?" Sheldrake asked slowly, his voice wonderfully soft, his eyes entreating. "Stop fooling, Ellen. You—we—must! You're my woman—I'll have you in spite of the devil! Right now! That's what I'm here for. Car out in the woods—it'll take us away from everything—we can be married as soon as we've got a hundred miles behind us—"

"No, no, no!" Ellen interrupted, clutching the laden bucket like a breastplate. "You—you—make me feel—funny. But here I belong; here I stay."

"No! Here you belong! Here you stay!" Sheldrake cried, clutching her and trying to draw her within his arms. She writhed free just in time to see Johnny Maul, bruised and bloody, his nose still dribbling, his coat split up the back, his mop of stiff hair sticky with red clay, all these things proclaiming a violent spill from the back of his runaway steed.

Sheldrake, older, taller, heavier, of almost double strength laughed evilly, caught Johnny about the waist, lifted him head high, intending to slam him down on the turf, breathless and senseless.

Ellen made a lightning whirl, swinging the bucket at arm's end, its contents falling out and blotching the turf, yet enough remaining to weight it like a club. It took Sheldrake fair on the side of the head. He staggered, dropped his prey, and rushed at Ellen, swearing great oaths. Luck was against him; his right foot landed in the hatful of berries which, crushing under his weight, made him slip, slide, try vainly to recover, then fall sprawling.

Even then he might have escaped but for Ellen's police dog, Donnerwetter, who, scenting her across the pasture, had come dashing to meet and welcome her. Don was at once the gentlest and the savagest of things four-footed. Ellen waved her hand, saying, "Hold," and straightway he was at Sheldrake's throat, ready to murder him if he stirred. Ellen looked at the pair, her lips quivering, then at Johnny, spent, bloody, disconsolate, in tatters, and uglier than home-made sin. Her heart warmed to him—for her sake and manhood's he had tried against odds to do a man's part. Fine, indeed, of him, but not fine enough [illegible] to make him her proper share.

She said huskily to Sheldrake: "Don will kill you at a nod from me. He will get the nod unless you promise to go, right away—and never come back."

Sheldrake covered his eyes as he groaned: "I promise." Don followed him to the lane, then came sedately back to see Johnny slaking his thirst with juicy blackberries, and hear Ellen say kindly: "Lie here and rest till dad comes to take you home."

Mrs. Bob Wyeth, born March, told her husband in strict confidence that only her wholesome sense saved her from marrying Johnny Maul—such a ninny over his mother was a temptation mighty hard to resist.

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GUNMAN SLAIN AT HERRIN SON OF ELDORADO MAN

Supervisors Request Resignation of Sheriff Galligan

UNION LABOR WILL SUPPORT CHOISSER BILL

Local Representative's Old Age Pension Bill Favorable to All Organized Labor.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—The legislative mill started grinding today when the general assembly reconvened for the consideration of bills. More than 50 measures were introduced during the two-day session last week and the hopper is open to receive the many dozens more which biennially enter it.

Legislation of all kinds is included in the bills introduced. At the last session 1,404 measures were considered and members have expressed little hope that the number will be reduced this time. Indications are, however, that most of the bills on which controversies are expected will be presented early so as to allow plenty of time in which to reach a decision.

Wet interests entered the game early with the presentation of three bills, two of which seek to repeal the local option law and the third the state search-and-seizure law. Another proposal, one to submit the search-and-seizure law to a referendum vote at the next election, is known to be favored by the wet delegation.

The dry forces have yet to introduce their bill to strengthen the enforcement of the prohibition law by the creation of a prohibition commissioner and the appointment of state enforcement officers. It has been announced as the chief item on the dry legislative program.

A bill introduced by Representative King, Chicago, one of the three colored members of the house, would require organizations other than labor unions and those organized for benevolent purposes to file a list of members and copies of its constitution and by-laws with the secretary of state. It was referred to the judiciary committee. There is an impression in some quarters that the measure is aimed at the Ku Klux Klan and other secret orders.

Two measures which will have the support of organized labor are the old age pension bill, introduced by Representatives Choisser, and an anti-injunction bill by Representative Soderstrom.

Soderstrom's bill provides that labor organizations shall not be prevented by injunction from assembling and carrying on their affairs and denies the right of a court to issue an injunction against such action. The anti-injunction measure was referred to the committee on industrial affairs while the pension bill was referred to the judiciary committee.

A bill by Representative Hoff creates a commission on uniform text books, to be appointed by the governor. It has as its object the use of similar text books in all schools in the state and is declared to be an effort toward standardization of the school system.

Bills were introduced in both the house and senate to limit the weight of vehicles using state roads in wet weather and prescribing the minimum width of tires on wheels in relation to the total weight of the vehicle. It also would give highway authorities the right to close roads in wet weather whenever they deem such action advisable.

A gasoline tax of two cents a gallon, to be paid by the wholesaler, is provided for in a bill presented by Representative Teel. The measure is expected to have the support of the administration as a part of the scheme for financing the hard road system. The Illinois Automobile Association and several kindred organizations are expected to oppose it. It was referred to the judiciary committee.

Several amendments to the fish and

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Cave Prisioner Held Another Day; Rescue Workers Can't Help

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—Pallid of face, his lips purple and his strength fast ebbing, Floyd Collins early today lay in the mole-like hole in Sand Cave awaiting for someone or something to release his foot held down by a huge boulder which fell upon it when he was exploring the cave Friday morning.

For twenty-four hours he was alone, the constant dripping of water from melting snow and ice on the surface growing more monotonous hour by hour. Saturday he was found and since that time scores of men have tried in vain to rescue him. But the ingenuity of man has come to naught.

In the narrow crevice, hardly large enough for a man to squirm into, the boulder, immovable, has held Collins while the constant dripping of water has created a torture chamber such as has not been known only in ages past.

For hours men have pecked away at the boulder with chisels, others have tugged at a rope fastened about the body of the victim. He has been moved five inches in four days.

Early today it was discovered that workmen within the cave could be heard faintly from the side of a hill about 300 feet from the entrance. The spot was discovered accidentally. With new life injected into the entire party, a plan to bring one hundred men to the spot and begin a tunnel immediately was evolved.

If the tunnel put through the hill at this point strikes Sand Cave more than one hundred feet from the entrance, workmen will for the first time reached Collins from the side where the rock which holds him down can be seen. Meanwhile another plan, previously untried, was being pushed by those men working within the cave. This contemplated the use of a large screw jack.

CUT FRANKFORT POLICE FORCE

Three Men Released When Citizens Fail In Raising Funds.

Three men, Ed Mitchell, Art Clem and W. O. Kelley were cut off the West Frankfort police force at the regular meteing of the board of aldermen last night. Insufficient funds to pay the men for their services is given as the cause. This leaves six men besides the traffic cop on the West Frankfort force, with Chas. E. Norman remaining as chief.

These three men who last night were released were put on after a committee of business men, ministers and citizens in general had visited the council and urged more police protection, agreeing that if the addition was made to the force, they would help take care of the salaries through personal subscriptions.

Some thirty dollars were raised on the night the men were hired, principally among members of the city administrative body, and since then there has been no donations toward their pay.

TRIO STARTS TERM IN 'PEN'

Worsham, Jordan and West Taken to Menard Yesterday.

Lyle "Shag" Worsham and Marshal "Stormy" Jordan were taken to the Southern Illinois penitentiary at Menard yesterday where they were sentenced for the murder of Rolla Hopgood at Zeigler. Worsham has an indeterminate sentence to serve, while Jordan is sentenced for 25 years.

Jordan has prayed an appeal to the supreme court, but failed to fill a $15,000 appeal bond, and was taken away. In event he should obtain his liberyt in this case, there is yet another sentence hanging over him for violating his parole on another sentence.

William "Mack" West, convicted at the last term of court on a charge of assaulting a young W. Frankfort girl was taken along with Worsham and Jordan.

Conduct Funeral Of Hall Baby

Funeral services were held this afternoon for little Roy Edward Hall, 8 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pins Hall, who died at the family home at West City last night following an attack of double pneumonia.

Funeral services and burial took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the LeMasters cemetery near Orient.

Naturalization Cases Up Today

U. S. Attroney Clark, representing the Naturalization Department, is hearing petitions for citizenship in Circuit Court today and will file petitions for citizenship on Wednesday and Thursday. There are forty-six cases on the naturalization docket for hearing today.

THE WEATHER

ILLINOIS—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Rising temperature.

BANDITS LOOT BRADLEY BANK

KANKAKEE, Ill., Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—Five robbers, all armed, held up the Bradley State Bank about 11 o'clock today and escaped with a sum estimated at between $5,000 and $6,000.

Three of the robbers carrying shotguns, entered the bank and opened fire when E. C. Vandagrift, one of the bank officials, supposing the intruders were local jokesters, drew his gun. Vandagrift was uninjured.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wright are the proud parents of a baby girl born, January 30th.

Will Investigate English Charges

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—The House Judiciary committee decided today to make a preliminary investigation of the charges against Federal Judge English of the East Illinois District.

SEEK AID OF GOVERNOR IN PEACE MOVE

Resolution Passes Body Before Committee Has Time to Report.

MARION, Ill., Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—Without awaiting for a report from his own committee appointed to confer with Sheriff George Gallgian and seek a solution of differences existing between factions in Williamson county, the County Board of Supervisors by unanimous vote today demanded the resignation of the sheriff as the only hope for enduring peace. Upon motion of Supervisor Fred Hamilton, of Herrin, an admitted Klansman, the following telegram was sent to both Governor Small and Adjutant General Black:

"We, the members of the County Board of Supervisors of Williamson count, are not concurring with Geo. Galligan, sheriff, as reported in the newspapers. We believe the resignation or removal is the only means of bringing peace to Williamson county. Troops or martial law unnecessary at the present time."

Sheriff Meets Committee

MARION, Ill., Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—While the Williamson county grand jury continued to investigate Herrin's two latest shootings which claimed five lives, Sheriff George Galligan met this afternoon with a committee of five appointed by the board of supervisors in an effort to work out a plan of action to avoid further disorder. In the meantime Lafe Farmer of Eldorado appeared in Herrin and positively identified the body of the man slain there by a policeman Sunday morning, as that of his son Phil, 28.

FEAR MISTAKE IN IDENTITY OF HOLDUP MEN

Warrants were sworn out before Justice of the Peace E. O. Dial for the arrest of Walter Yates and Tommy Jenkins on a charge of highway robbery.

The complants were sworn to by Frank Walker, who told Judge Dial and night policeman Pritchard, that he had been held up by these two young men, as he was coming from the late I. C. train Sunday night. Mr. Walker stated he was with his wife and Miss Pearl Easly, when the hold up took place.

He stated he was almost positive of the identity of the holdup men and asked that warrants for the arrest of Yates and Jenkins be issued.

The warrant was immediately served on Yates, who claimed to have no knowledge of the affair.

Both young men are quite well known in the city and it is the opinion of many of their friends that a mistake has been made in connecting them with the holdup.

A hearing for the Yates boy has been set down for nine o'clock, Thursday morning, at which time, he is positive he can set up his inonence.

Tommy Jenkins, it is stated, has been employed in the mines at Danville for several months and as far as is known by any of his relatives and friends was not in the city at the time of the holdup.

Jenkins was a former employee of J. V. Walker and Sons in this city.

R. W. JACKSON ACCEPTS PLACE IN MICHIGAN

Former High School Principal is Made Principal at Munising.

Prof. Ralph W. Jackson, who has been connected with the school life of Benton for some ten years, left this morning for Munising, Mich., where he goes to accept the principalship of the Munising High School for the remainder of the term.

Munising is a city of about 10,000 people and is situated on the inlet of Lake Superior, the extreme northern part of Michigan. A very attractive salary has been offered Prof. Jackson, it is understood.

Mr. Jackson came to Benton as superintendent of the grade schools, and he was later made principal of the Benton township high school, which position he held until last spring. He is regarded as one of the foremost educators of this part of the state, and at different intervals taught in the Southern Illinois State Normal at Carbondale, of which school he is a graduate, although his bachelor degree is from the University of Illinois.

During the past summer, and up until some two weeks ago he was employed on the editorial staff of the Evening News. He was the feature writer for the industrial edition published by this paper last summer and has since been engaged in a like capacity on the regular issues of the News.

His first newspaper experience was gained in Mt. Vernon before he took up school work, and his writings and acquaintances with this part of the state, makes his services much in demand in newspaper and historical work.

Mrs. Jackson and the boys will remain in Benton for the time being at least, while Mr. Jackson will not return to this city until after the close of his school term.

FORMER BENTON BOY INJURED IN AUTO CRASH

University Paper Tells of Accident to L. A. Sullivan

The following from the Daily Illini, publication of the University of Illinois, tells of an accident that happened to L. A. Sullivan, graduate of Benton Township High School, and son of Rev. O. A. Sullivan, former resident of this city:

L. A. Sullivan, 27, received a broken arm and leg when a Maxwell touring car driven by D. E. Howe, 1105 South Busey avenue, Urbana, crashed into the truck of Gordon Dry cleaners

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Galligan's Man Visits Governor

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—Telegraphing Adjutant General Black his denial of press reports of his joining Sheriff George Galligan in a request for martial law in Herrin, States Attorney Boswell added a comment that "no compromise with the sheriff will be entertained."

This telegram reached General Black shortly after the arrival here of Deputy R. G. Parks, bearing a letter from Sheriff Galligan addressed to Governor Small. Thru General Black, Governor Small advised the young man he wanted to see the Sheriff and not his representative and requested him to make this report to his chief.

Was Wayward Boy All His Life, Father Tells Newspaper Men

Had Furnished Son Money That Kept Him From Having to Work; "Whiskey Has Been the Downfall of My Boy," Father Sobs.

Smallest Elk To Be Guest of Benton Lodge

Benton Elks will have a big night on February 10 when twenty-eight candidates will receive the second degree of their initiation into the mysteries of the order. These candidates had their preliminary work some three or four weeks ago, and have been resting easy waiting for the final wind up.

Initiatory work will not be the only attraction on next Tuesday night. Hon. J. Nick Perrin, of Belleville, will be here for an address, and with him will be Albert S. Vahlkmap, the smallest Elk in the world.

Commodore Vahlkamp is four feet and two inches in height and weighs seventy-five pounds. He will bring a special message from the president of the Illinois Elks' Association concerning the state meeting which is to be held in Murphysboro the first week in June, when thousands of Elks from all over the state will be in attendance.

It is expected that a majority of the Elks lodges of this section will be represented at the meeting here on Tuesday evening of next week to hear the noted visitors and to participate in making the twenty-eight novices feel that they are becoming members of one of the best orders in existence.

Uncle Jack Jordan Suffers Stroke

Uncle Jack Jordan is reported in a critical condition at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dick Fitzgerrell, in Ina, having suffered a paralytic stroke Sunday, and the family physician has little hopes for his recovery.

Uncle Jack, who is 78 years of age, has a wide circle of relatives and friends throughout this county.

HARRISBURG, Ill., Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—The mysterious stranger slain at Herrin Sunday morning by a policeman and known there and in East St. Louis as Joseph Phillip, was tentatively identified as Phil Farmer, son of Lafe Farmer, a well-to-do farmer of near Eldorado. The man at one time was said to have been a special officer in Eldorado.

Lafe Farmer went through Harrisburg today enroute to Herrin to view the body of the man, who, he believes is his son. He said his son had left home about a month ago and had been roaming about.

"I am positive the body is that of Phil, judging by the description given me by the Williamson county coroner," Mr. Farmer said. "Whiskey has been the downfall of my boy.

"Phil and my younger son, Robert, in business in Shawneetown, were reared in the same home, under the same environment. One went the right way, the other the wrong way.

"I have been staking Phil for the last several years but it only seemed to keep him in idleness. He and Robert were both in the service during the war with Germany. Phil has often expressed the desire to get back into the navy and I am sorry now I did not let him have the money to go and join a month ago when he was last home."

HERRIN MAN HAS NEW EXPERIENCE AWAY FROM HOME

Intimates That Herrin Bad Men Do Not Stoop to Car Stealing

Dr. E. L. Huckney, of Herrin, came to Benton Saturday night to enjoy the basket ball game at the Township high school. The Doctor drove to Benton in his Ford roadster and returned to Herrin in the car of a friend who happened to ge going that way.

According to the story the Doctor told night police officers, he left his car parked in front of the school building, when he came out after the game it was gone, and the parties taking it left no forwarding address.

Doctor Huckney says some pretty wild things happen at Herrin at times but he never had his car stolen there.

COURT HEARS GUILTY PLEAS FROM THREE

Two Boys Sent to State School; Man is Fined $100

Fred Goddard and Louis Byrn, charged with stealing batteries from the Smith garage in West Frankfort, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny before Judge Eagleton, and were sentenced to an indeterminate term in the state school for boys at St. Charles.

Another plea of guilty was that of Myer Miller, junk dealer, who confessed having received stolen property consisting of some fifty brass valves alleged to have been taken from the C. B. & Q. railroad at Christopher on or about July 30, 1923. Miller was fined $100 and sentenced to jail for one hour.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

For Justice of the Peace

We are authorized to announce that E. O. [illegible] is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the township caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that T. I. GALLOWAY is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at their primary election or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that D. A. MOORE, of Logan, is a candidate for justice of the peace of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at the caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that M. N. [illegible] is a candidate for justice of the peace of Benton Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the township caucus or primary when held.

For Constable

We are hereby authorized to announce that A. L. KINKADE will be a candidate for Constable of Franklin County, Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the spring primary.

We are authorized to announce that JAMES D. (JIMMY) MILLER is a candidate for the office of Constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at the caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that E. O. [illegible]LLEY is a candidate for constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that JAMES S. PRITCHARD is a candidate for the office of constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters of the Republican party at the spring primary or caucus when held.

Agricultural Activities

By H. A. deWERFF
Farm Adviser
For Franklin County

Farm Body Plans Drive to Increase Home Butter Use

Wide circulation of a news item based on a survey of butter substitutes in thirty-three Illinois counties is held responsible for [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] consumpt[illegible]

The Franklin County [illegible] has received word [illegible] dairy marketing director [illegible] nois A. A., that the survey made se[veral] months ago through the co-operation of this Farm Bureau, brough[t] home more clearly than anything el[se] the observation that not enough bu[tt]er was used in th[illegible] [illegible] unless studied [illegible] disclosed the fact that farm[ers,] including dairymen [illegible] were almost heavy consumers of "oleo" as t[own] and city dwellers.

"Spread your butter a little thick" is the slogan adopted by Lynch, "We hope that all Illinois dairymen w[ill] see the folly of consuming a butter substitute in the place of the produ[ct] of their own dairy cows," he declares. The slogan has helped to reduce the butter surplus of fifty million pounds of last September.

Lynch plans to start the campaign in the smaller cities and villages of the state to project it later to the larger centers of population.

Hog Worms Get a Scare

Fifty-five Illinois Farm Bureaus are arranging to have hogs dodge the damage from worms this year. Forty-seven counties had been enlisted in this project for two months. They found an immense interest on the part of the farmers. The popularity of the swine sanitation demonstrations at the University of Illinois during Farmers' Week proved conclusively that farmers appreciate and want help in the worm battle at this time. Accordingly, seven more counties put their names on the list for special work on raising pigs free from worms and necrotic infection this year.

Twenty-five county schools have already been held to instruct farmers in the simple methods used to keep worms away from pigs altogether. Large numbers of farmers are agreeing to follow the system through carefully from first to last with this spring's crop of pigs. We hope to have several co-operators on this project in Franklin County this year. Many of these farms will be posted as demonstration farms.

Other farmers can see for themselves next summer how growthy and thrifty pigs can be raised on the very same farms where runts, deaths, and disease have disfigured the herds of hogs in recent years. The farmers who stage this year's demonstrations will be just one year ahead of their neighbors in this money making scheme.

Down-State Body Includes Twelve Fruit Co-Op Groups

Twelve fruit and vegetable co-operative concerns in Southern Illinois have re incorporated and are members of the Illinois Fruit Growers' Exchange according to A. [illegible] Leeper, director of the fruit and vegetable marketing department of the Illinois Agricultural Association. This is the information just coming to the attention of the Franklin County Farm Bureau. Leeper's [offic]es are located at Centralia, Marion county and he gives the following list of shipping points that make up the exchange: Nebo, [Pike] county; Peter Station, Madison county; Belleville, St Clair county; Centralia, Marion county; West Liberty, Jasper county; Ozark and Goreville, Johnson county; Carbondale, Jackson county; Villa Ridge, Pulaski county; Carterville, Williamson county, and Texico, Jefferson county. Efforts will be made to add further shipping points to this list.

These co-operatives, Leeper points out, represent the largest fruit and vegetable shipping points in the state. They include the shipping of small fruits, vegetables and tree fruits. Downstate Illinois, he says, now is one of the important fruit shipping areas in the United States.

Present Marketing Era Demands That Dairymen Co-Operate

Getting milk to the consumer's table today is a highly specialized and technical business. This is the statement made by A. D. Lynch, director of dairy marketing for the Illinois Agricultural Associatino, last week.

"We cannot expect the road from cow to consumer to be as easy as in the day of the family cow when everybody, including city dwellers, kept a cow to supply the family larter with milk and cream," says Lynch. "When we think that a city like Chicago receives daily all the milk her 800,000 families desire and they find the milk in number one condition on their back doorsteps, we must admit that this 'milky way' is in good working condition."

The I. A. A. authority claims efficient production of milk to be the biggest problem facing the dairy farmer. He cannot control the prices paid for milk, but he can control production cost though careful feeding methods and through ridding his herd of "boarder cows." Cow testing associations, he says are a step in the right direction as they bring the herd up to a paying basis in which every cow returns a profit over the cost of feed.

Lynch believes in co-operation for Illinois dairymen. "The many problems of dairyland cannot be solved by individuals working at these problems alone. Dairymen must have a business organization of their own if they are to keep up with changing conditions in their industry." The state has over 160 co-operative dairy associations, including cheese factories, eight co-operative creameries, a centralizer, four retail milk organizations, and four cream selling organizations.

Three Men Represented State Farm Body

Agricultural leaders in recent conference with President Coolidge's agricultural commission, who represented the Illinois Agricultural Association are: Sam H. Thompson, Quincy, president; Robt. A. Cowles, I. A. A. treasurer and director of finance, and secretary of the American Council of Agriculture; and George E. Wicker, general manager of the Illinois Agricultural Assn.

BESSIE

By S. A. GOESSMAN

We had one of the largest snows we have had this year last week and with it came some real cold weather.

Mrs. Ella Crain was sick one night last week.

Abb Jones of near West Frankfort passed through these parts one day last week.

Warren Harvey and family of Besser passed through these parts one day last week on their way home from Grayville, where they had been attending the funeral of Felix Harvey.

Jerry Neal and wife of West Frankfort have moved to Juda Craine's place here. Jerry is now back in his home vicinity and close to Bessie.

Dick Neal was in Bessie one day last week.

Will Sanders of near Logan called on John Price one day last week.

Robert Summers was in Bessie on business one day last week.

Carl Sniderwein passed through these parts last Sunday morning.

Jessie Summers of Benton was out to his farm here last Saturday.

Marion Warren had about half of his chickens stolen one night. He estimated the number at about 130. No trace of the thieves has been found.

Dug Allen passed through these parts one day last week.

Alex Allen made a business trip to Benton last Saturday.

Hermann Russell has been sick the past week and was not able to attend school.

Robert Huffine and son, Wilford, made a business trip to Bentonn last Saturday.

Mrs. Stanton Patterson and children spent last Sunday with relatives here.

Silas Goessman and Dave Harvey attended the funeral and burial of Felix Harvey at Grayville last week.

John Davis and family spent last Sunday with Sanford Allen and family.

Marion Todd spent last Sunday with Silas Goessman and family.

One month of the year 1925 is gone and the roads up until the last few days have been so a car can run.

Johnnie Moore and family spent last Sunday with Sanford Allen and family.

The Webb's Hill store delivered some furniture to Jerry Neal here last Saturday.

PLEASANT HILL

Lawrence Summers' residence burned last Saturday night. It was quite a loss to Lawrence, as it was only partly covered by insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemmie Summers visited in Thompsonville Sunday.

Jessie Stevens of Benton passed through these parts Sunday.

A family by the name of Hunt of West Frankfort have moved on the Lee Green farm.

Christopher Mitchell who is working at Alton visited home folks a few days.

Lee Parker and family started for St. Charles, Mofil last Sunday.

Bro. C. C. Mitchell filled his regular appointment at Knob Prairie Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Parker and Holaway Auten and family called on Bird Absher Sunday.

Pleasant Hill Aid met last Thursday in regular session working all day, having quite a crowd.

Next Saturday and Sunday is our regular meeting time at the Hill. Everybody invited.

Willie Mabry has a sweet heart in Benton, but we must not tell who she is. We understand he wants a cook that he is tired of batching. Hope he has success.

A little son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gilbreth Sunday night, Feb. 2. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

WILLOW BRANCH

By VALLIE HATCHETT

We are having some muddy roads in this vicinity and the cars can't run.

Marshal [illegible] is getting ready to erect an addition to his shop in which he will install burrs for the purpose of making meal, etc.

Thomas Lampley must have had more than a barrel of pork when one day last week he killed a couple of large porkers. He called in John Glenn and Charlie Rose to assist him in butchering.

The house at the farm home of Lawrence Summers near Pleasant Hill was destroyed by fire Saturday night. Mr. Summers is residing in Thompsonville.

Anyone wanting to buy a good coming year old colt, should see the writer at once. Priced reasonable.

Little Genevie Clark of near Parrish, visited part of last week with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Clark, of the Brush Prairie school district.

We know of a clock not far from here which sometimes strikes as high as 42 at one time. Can some of our readers tell us what time it is?

Mr. Dodd and Miles Avery of Brush Prairie school district, went down to Monroe Moore's who lives near Parrish, one day last week, and purchased two brooms.

J. A. Bolen, who has resided in West Frankfort for some time, has moved back to his farm. We are glad to welcome him back and hope he will stay with us this time.

This neighborhood must be a good place to live as nearly everyone who has moved out of it in the last five years, are dissatisfied and are coming back, or else they want to come back.

Rev. Bain failed to fill his regular appointment at Mt. Etna last Saturday, but he was present Sunday morning.

Since we have begun writing this week the wind has changed from one direction to another until it is now in the north and blowing across the "peach orchard" as the old saying is, and we believe that winter will last for some time.

Read the Classified Column.

Many bargains in new and second hand articles are advertised in the Classified Column. Look it over.

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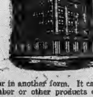
Packed in heavy foil instead of costly tins hence **10¢**

You never tasted such rich mellowness as Wellman's method puts in this tobacco

An almost forgotten old tobacco secret, "Wellman's Method," dating from about 1870 and now ours exclusively, is responsible for the delightful taste of Granger Rough Cut—its mildness and its appetizing fragrance. And notice also the coarser "Rough Cut"—slower-burning, and therefore cooler. Here truly is a pipe tobacco that IS pipe tobacco!

Granger Rough Cut

Is Your Money Idle?



Money is only labor in another form. It can be used to buy labor or other products of labor.
Idle money can be compared to an idle man—or an idle tractor that stands in the shed during the busy season. All are non-productive.
Money in the bank is productive. It works for yourself and the community. Come in and let us tell you the many reasons for keeping your money in the bank.

First National Bank
Charter Member of the Federal Reserve System

PERSONALS

CLUB MEETING TOMORROW AFTERNOON

The February meeting of the Benton Woman's Club will be held at the Benton Country Club Wednesday afternoon, February 3, at 2:30. This is the annual social affair and there will be no charges. There will be no meeting of the board before the regular meeting.

BUDDY GOES FOR MOTORCYCLE

Elijah (Buddy) Moore, state hard road motor cop, went to Kankakee today to get his motorcycle. Buddy has made one of the best motor cops in this end of the state, being always on the job trying to regulate traffic.

MUSICAL VAUGHNS VISIT RELATIVES

"The Musical Vaughns," formerly of Franklin county, but now of Seattle, Wash., spent the week end with R. L. Rboorts and family of West Church St. A number of friends were invited in and the Vaughns entertained with some very pleasing music. The Vaughns tour in high-class vaudeville and are appearing at some of the theatres in Southern Illinois while visiting here.

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Wardland Dairy, phone 722. 250tf

John Muranski of Urbain was admitted to the Moore hospital this morning.

Mrs. W. N. McCreery of Thompsonville was the guest of relatives here yesterday.

Big Clean Sweep Sale now on. Come—Bass Fashion Shop.

Mrs. Bonnie Foster of West Frankfort, formerly a nurse in the Moore hospital here, was a visitor at the Potter Beauty Shop yesterday.

Miss Florence Cohen, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Epstein, returned to her home in Carbondale yesterday.

Men and Women, to secure Members—$3 to $20 a day. Write Illinois Protective Ass'n., Springfield, Ill. *130

Mrs. Minnie Annear of Mulkeytown had her tonsils removed in Dr. Johnson's hospital this morning.

Mrs. J. H. Weber and daughter Margaret of Gaintin are the guests of Mrs. Weber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hubbard.

Mrs. Mattie McDonald of 3055 Brown street, who has been quite sick, is slowly improving.

Wade Barrick, who is attending the University of Illinois, is spending a few days between semesters with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Barrick.

Good Timothy Hay, $16 per ton at Webb's Hill, McLeansboro state road 1 1-2 miles from us, good dirt road balance way.—A. N. Webb & Son. 4*f

E. R. Malone was called to McLeansboro today on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Mrs. N. A. Starks of West Frankfort was a business visitor here yesterday.

Big Clean Sweep Sale now on. Come—Bass Fashion Shop.

Toney Canjar, who has been a patient in the local hospital, was able to return to his home in Johnston City yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anderson of West Frankfort were business visitors in Benton yesterday afternoon.

O. Q. Wilson is ill at his home on East Church street.

Misses Eva Sanders, Margaret and Jean Love were visitors in West Frankfort Saturday afternoon.

While visiting last week end in McLeansboro, Harry L. Frier suffered an attack of acute indigestion. He was brought home Sunday night in a very weak condition and is still confined to his room.

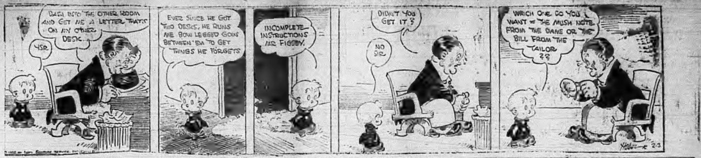
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sisk and Raleigh Kimmel are in St. Louis at the bedside of their father who is very low.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Owens who reside in the north part of town are the parents of a baby boy born yesterday.

Miss Mary Ross had her tonsils removed by Drs. Alvis and Alvis yesterday.

JERRY ON THE JOB

He Read 'Em Both — *By Walter Hoban*



Poets Write of Elsie's Sin

The Hight-Sweetin story will not down.

Now comes one of Mt. Vernon's budding young poetesses with "Elsie's Confession" creditably done in song giving the version of the confession and the warning as the poetess understands Elsie Sweetin's confession as accepted by the circuit court.

The interpretation of the crime as understood by the poetess is given below under the caption, "Elsie's Confession.

ELSIE'S CONFESSION
(By Alma Hayes)

Oh friend and foe alike, I pray,
Please listen while I tell
The story of my sinful life,
Why in prison I must dwell.
I had a home—a husband kind—
Three babies at my knee—
Until the Reverend Lawrence Hight
Cast his influence o'er me.

I know not why I did the deed;
But the pastor told me to,
He brought the arsenic home to me
And told me what to do.
Three times Iput it in his food
And then sat calmly by
And watched his suffering and his pain—
Then saw him slowly die.

The deed was done. It was my part.
And no one ever knew
That by my hand poor Wilford died
They thought my heart was true.
I could not wait till conference past
But urged and pled that he
Should give the poison to his wife
That he might marry me.

Our haste was fatal, and ere long
Neighbors began to think,
And form a chain of evidence
Around us, link by link,
Until at last the sheriff came
And took us both away—
Where we were tried, and guilty found
And now we both must pay.

Tho' it was all for loving Elsie
The pastor met his fate,
Yet "Sweetheart Elsie's" love for him
Has turned to bitter hate,
For if I'd never listened
Nor snuffed the husband's life,
Today I'd be at home with friends,
A loving trusted wife.

Tonight my babies kneel alone
To say their evening prayer,
Their mother a prison cell—
Their daddy sleeps "out there."
Yes, I must pay the awful price,
Behind prison bars must dwell
All day a laundry's drudgery share—
At night a prison cell.

Oh friend and foe alike I pray
Heed my warning, think in time,
And let there be no lonely graves
To mock you of your crime.
If ever you are tempted"
To swerve from the path of right,
Just think of Elsie and "preacher" Hight
Each in a prison cell tonight.

—Mt. Vernon Herald.

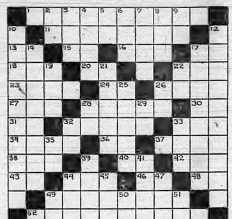
Getting Too Fat? Try This—Reduce

People who don't grow too fat are the fortunate exception. But if you find the fat accumulating or already cumbersome, you will be wise to follow this suggestion, which is endorsed by thousands of people who know. Ask your druggist for Marmola Prescription Tablets and follow directions. One dollar is the price the world over. Get them from your own druggist or send price direct to Marmola Co., General Motors Bldg., Detroit, Mich. By doing this you will be able to reduce steadily and easily and pleasantly, without starvation diet or tiresome exercise. Start taking them today and get slender.

Mrs. Galbert Hazel and Mrs. Elmer Jackson are spending the day in St. Louis.

Many bargains in new and second hand articles are advertised in the Classified Column. Look it over.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 44



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Horizontal.
1—Tending to flock together
11—Issue from a source
13—Neuter pronoun
15—Skyward
16—Through
17—European river
18—Sink in the middle
20—Printing measure
22—Metal dish
23—Pastries
24—For example (abbr.)
26—Uttered musically
27—Charity
28—Dirt
30—Initials of a President
31—Toward
32—Abolish
33—Part of verb "to be"
34—Apple
36—Point of compass
37—Ship
38—Fold of cloth
40—Weight (abbr.)
42—New Zealand parrot
43—Boy's name
44—Native metal
46—Note of musical scale
48—Roadway (abbr.)
49—Birds
52—Torn down

Vertical.
2—Note of musical scale
3—Australian bird
4—Yawn
5—Indefinite article
6—Knock
7—Prose paragraph
8—Across (poetic)
9—We
10—Sent off
12—Gather
14—Made to measure
17—Food storerooms
19—Jewel
21—Methods
22—Father
25—Thin porridge
26—Quiet!
28—Printing measure
29—Symbol for thallium
32—Month of Hebrew calendar
33—Historic ship
35—Part of verb "to be"
39—Weight
41—Stain
44—Ancient Italian goddess of the harvest
45—Age
47—Shoemaker's tool
49—Note of musical scale
50—The king's navy (abbr.)
51—Point of compass

Solution will appear in next issue.

MOST ILLINOIS COAL BARRED IN GAS MAKING

Government Tests Hits Sad Blow to Coal Mined in This State

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 3.—(By A. P.)—Recognizing the fact that public utility regulations in nearly every city and state in the country forbid the domestic or industrial use of city gas, until all hydrogen sulphide has been removed from it, the Department of the Interior at Washington, has just published the results of researches on gas purification by W. A. Dunkley and R. D. Leitch, at the Urbana experiment station of the bureau of mines.

Interest in this publication is intensified in Illinois by the fact that the purification methods now in general use limit the gas industry to the use of selected low-sulphur coals and oils for making gas. This restriction prevents use of most of the Illinois coals.

Iron oxide is usually used in the gas purification process, but it has been found that some iron oxides would not work efficiently for this purpose. The scientists have devoted their time to discovering a method whereby supplies or iron oxide may be tested before being used. The tests worked out will enable gas companies to buy their supplies of iron oxide intelligently and prevent purchase of worthless supplies.

The work was carried on under the joint auspices of the United States Bureau of Mines, the Illinois State Geological Survey and the Engineering Experiment Station of the University of Illinois.

A baby girl was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Rice who live at Ninth and Diamond streets.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Rocovich, Sunday.

Miss Lillian Kirkpatrick is ill at the home of her parents on West Church street.

Solution of Puzzle No. 43.

Former Benton Boy is Injured In Auto Crash

(Continued from First Page)

driven by Sullivan at the corner of Coler avenue and High street at 9:45 o'clock yesterday morning.

Sullivan was driving west on High street and Howe was driving north on Coler when the accident occurred. The Maxwell hit the rear end of the Gordon truck, which turned around and smashed into a lamp post on the corner.

Sullivan was thrown to the ground in the accident and the body of the truck was partially demolished. Howe was shaken up considerably but his car not badly damaged. Sullivan was taken to the Burnham hospital.

TIRED AFTER EATING? TRY THIS SIMPLE MIXTURE

If you feel tired after eating, it is often a sign of gas and undigested matter in your stomach or bowels. Simple buckthorn bark, magnesium sulph. c. p., glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, helps any case gas on the stomach, unless due to deep-seated causes. The QUICK action will surprise you. Adlerika is wonderful for constipation—it often works in one hour and never gripes. Stegmeyer-Woolard Drug Co.

Mrs. T. N. Milburn is suffering from an acute attack of ptomaine poisoning at her home on McFall street.

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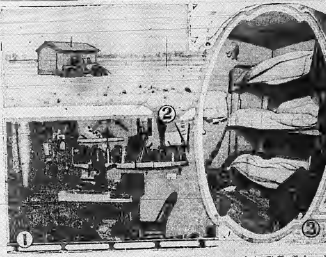
Illinois "U" Student Builds His Own Home



Picture shows: (1) The Study corner; (2) The temporary home built by U. students. (3) The "bed-room" corner.

URBANA, Ill., Feb. 3.—Batching to get a bachelors degree is the experiment being tried by Dwight L. Barr, a junior at the University of Illinois and a success so far, according to him.

After paying room and board for two years, Barr decided that it would be cheaper to own his own home than to pay rent, so he bought a lot close to the edge of town and with the help of some friends built a small house on it.

The house is a four-in-one, he explains, as the one large room serves as kitchen, bedroom, workshop and study, one corner being devoted to each. Barr does his cooking on an oil stove, has three built in bunks for his own and the accommodation of his friends. In the workshop corner he has his tools and instruments for radio and electrical research. A large table holds his books and typewriter and the walls are decorated with pictures, pennants and autographs of his friends.

Barr's homework evidently does not interfere with his university work, for he has obtained a captaincy in the R. O. T. C. and other honors. Barr has a small car in which he goes back and forth to classes.

Today's Radio Program

WSB, Atlanta Journal—8 program; 10:45 orchestra.

KFDM, Beaumont—8 concert.

WEEI, Boston—8 Sinfonian; 7 WEAF program; 8 Eveready hour; 9 orchestra.

WGR, Buffalo—6 music; 8-10 concert.

WGN, Chicago Tribune—6 organ; 6:30 ensemble, string quintet; De Wolff Hopper.

WEBH, Chicago—7 orchestra, tenor, reader, Rivera theatre; 9 songs, pianist; 11 dance.

WLS, Chicago—6:30 organ; 7 lullaby; 7:45 Saddler feature; 8 farm program; 9-12 soloists, orchestra, vaudeville, revue.

WLW, Cincinnati—8 concert, instrumental quintet; 10 concert.

WFAA, Dallas News—6:30 musical; 8:30 mandolin and guitar club; 11 organ.

WWJ, Detroit News—6 News orchestra, tenor, contralto.

KNX, Hollywood—8 talk; 8:30 music; 10 varied; 1 orchestra.

WBAP, Ft. Worth—7:30 program; 9:30 Hawaiian guitarists.

KHJ, Los Angeles Times—8 orchestra 8:30 children; 10 features; 12 orchestra.

WHAS, Louisville—7:30 concert, reading.

WMC, Memphis—8 story; 8:30 music; 11 frolic.

WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul—6:30 trio; 7:30 lecture.

CKAC, Montreal—6:30 concert; 7:30 program; 9:30 dance; 11 frolics.

WHN, New York—9 vaudeville; 9:30 dance; 10 music; 10:30 orchestra; 11 Ted Lewis.

KGO, Oakland—6 orchestra; 10 minstrels; 12 dance, soloists.

WFI, Philadelphia—6 talk; 8 concert; 9 orchestra.

WCAE, Pittsburg—6:30 Uncle Kaybee; 6:45 address; 7:30 pianist; 8 Eveready hour; 9 concert.

KGW, Portland—10 lecture; 10:30 concert; 12 orchestra.

WOAI, San Antonio—8:30 instrumental, trio; 9:30 orchestra.

KPO, San Francisco—9 orchestra; 10 address; 10:30 glee club; 12 band.

WRC, Washington—6 music; 7 show shopping; 7:10 announced; 7:30 politics; 8 Brunswick hour; 9:15 orchestra.

Myers School Notes

There is now a full attendance and everything is moving along nicely. The month's examination is over and the great majority did well. The standing of those making 92 plus follows:

Fourth Grade: Mary Rone, 100; Ira Sandusky, 100; John Wallace, 100; Geneva Hester 100.

Fifth: Frances Kuizen, 100; Wm. O'Toole, 99; Walter Fix, 99; Alleen Wints, 94; Thelma Summers, 94; Hazel Miller, 93; Helen Mezo, 92; Ruby Tate, 92.

Seventh: Martha Kuizen, 100; Lana Rone, 97; Edith Tate, 96; Carl Manis 95; Ancel Mezo 95; Glen O'Toole 95; Virgil Summers, 93; Floyd Duty 93; Rola Gaither 92.

In penmanship the standing is as follows:

Seventh: Martha Kuizen, Glenn O'Toole, Lena Rone, Hazel Fihanigan, Virgil Summers.

Fifth: Frances Kuizen, Thelma Summers, James Bisonett, Helen Mezo Aileen Wintz.

Fourth: Mary Rone, Geneva Hester, Ruby Miller, John Wallace, Ira Sandusky, Byford Basham.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

J. F. Johnson and wife to Kezia Oglvie, warranty deed, consideration $1, lot 10 block 1, Erma Place addition to Sesser.

Anton Gorvance and wife to Giacomo Biofetto, warranty deed, consideration $1400, lots 10 and 11 in block 11, Seventh addition to Valier.

Bert Appino Jr., to Glen Wilson and wife, warranty deed, $1600, Horn & Dimond's Third addition to Christopher.

Tony Kokal and wife to Rosie Pusnia, warranty deed, consideration $2000, lot 19 block 3, Stotlar & Jones' addition to West Frankfort.

Andersen's Tales

The first of the fairy ta'es that have made Hans Christian Andersen famous appeared in 1830. Andersen, who was born in 1805 and died in 1875, was a native of Odense, Denmark. He began his career as an actor, but later, after a course in Copenhagen university, turned to literature. He was a novelist, poet and writer of travels as well as the creator of fairy tales.

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Classified Ads

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—bed room modern, $12 per month. Call 496W. 304tf

FOR RENT—5-room house at 1301 North Main. Apply 305 N. Commercial. 6tf

FOR RENT—Brick building, suitable for retail store in West City. Telephone 334.

FOR RENT—modern room. Phone 132W. 28tf

FOR RENT—room furnished or unfurnished at reasonable price. 109 N. DuQuoin St., on pavement.

FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment. 214 Pope St. 23*6

FOR RENT—3 light housekeeping rooms, nicely furnished. 503 S. Main. Phone 524-W. 24*5

FOR RENT—6-room house, city water, lights, garage, on pavement at 412 W. Webster. Inquire at 414 West Webster, south door. 25*4

FOR RENT—Furnished 5 room bungalow, with basement, piano included. Meadows, North Maple. 27t3

FOR RENT—5 room house in good location. 307 N. 8th St. 27*3

WANTED

WANTED—Office partner to occupy desk room in furnished office. Inquire Geo. A. Powers at First National Bank. 276tf

Salesladies EVERYWHERE to sell Pic-Wic house frocks direct to wearer; no investment; easily earn $[illegible] weekly; all or part time. Write today. Pickwick Mfg., Co., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Tie makers at camp on I. C. cut-off, apply Draege Lumber Co., at No. 3 Camp near Macedonia or to Mr. Wyatt, 801 Smith St., Benton, between 6 and 7 o'clock any evening. 25*6

AGENTS WANTED — Tailoring agents, specialty salesmen, mechanics, clerks wanted in every locality to take orders for men's all wool suits direct from feator to wearer. Real $40 values at $23.75 are easy to sell; spare time or full; $60 to $90 a week; commission in advance; no delivering or collecting. Powerful sample outfit free by return mail.—Longworth & Sons, Dept. 866, 1301-11 W. Congress St., Chicago.

WOMEN—Earn big money making Bungalo Aprons at home during spare time. Enclose 2c stamp for particulars. Rosemary Apron Co., Asbury Park, N. J.

WANTED—A steamer trunk. Call 324-R. 27t3

LOST

LOST—Crank to Chevrolet car. Return to Evening News office.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Store and four room house. Enoch Stanevich, 506 N. Stuyvesant St. 75*6

FOR SALE OR TRADE—6-room House, good as new. 1004 N. Main. Herbert Summers. 20*8

FOR SALE—Red Top seed, $1.50 per bushel at Ewing Mill. 26*3

FOR SALE—No. 1, Black Seed Oats 35 lb. test on tract at Whittington, about 5th and 6th of Feb., at 80c per bushel. Pearce Brothers, Ewing, Illinois. 26*4

FOR SALE or TRADE—Sanitary display grocery counter at real bargain. J. R. Neunlist, Logan, Ill. 25*3

FOR SALE—Good cow, fresh in May, now giving small amount of milk. Part Jersey. Henry Taylor, 517 Smith St. 27*3

FOR SALE OR TRADE—6 room house for land on hard road, good garage and barn, good water. Bargain if sold at once. N. McLeansboro, close to Grant School.—Reuben Lampley. 27*4

FOR SALE OR RENT—7-room house at 502 N. Madison. Inquire 408 Buchanan. 27*6

FOR SALE OR TRADE—6-room house, good as new. 1004 N. Main, Herbert Summers. 28*8

FOR SALE—Nearly new Underwood Typewriter.—Albert Sanders. City Hall. 28tf

FOR SALE—Large Boston Fern. Call 463R. 28t3

FOUND

FOUND—money in my store, owner may have same by describing and paying for this notice. L. I. Trombly. 28t2

As With Humanity

The vine produces more grapes when it is young, but better grapes for wine when it is old, because its juices are more perfectly concocted.—Bacon.

Degrees in Friendship

In every friendship one is more selfish than the other, and the one who practices self-sacrifice is the happier. —Exchange.

Biggest Geyser Regions

Next to Yellowstone National park the most important geyser region in the world is at Rotorua in New Zealand.

England Likes Salmon

England buys more canned salmon from America than does any other country.

Paint That Stands Out

"Ever notice," says the Albany Herald, "that the fellow who goes about giving advice, never has anything else to give away?"

Island Really Mountain

Sunday island, in the Pacific, is really the tallest mountain in the world. It rises 2,000 feet out of five miles of water, and is thus nearly 30,000 feet from base to the summit.

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BUSY DOCKET FACES STATE UTILITY BODY

City of Benton to Be Heard On Raise in Water Rates; Bus Hearings Numerous.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb 3.—(By A. P.)—Eleven motor bus companies will appear before the Illinois Commerce Commission here this week to seek permission to extend their lines into new territory. Telephone and water rates will supply the next largest number of hearings.

Opening tomorrow the commission will first hear a complaint of the City of Benton, against the Central Illinois Public service company, regarding noncompliance with a rate order for water service issued Dec. 20, 1923. The city asks that rates effective before that date, be restored.

The same day the Pittsfield Telephone company will ask permission to advance rates in Pike County, and the Illinois Bell Telephone company will seek to advance rates in Alton and Wood River.

Motor bus companies to be heard will include the Ragland Transfer company, which seeks permission to operate a truck service between Smithboro and Greenville; the J. A. Butler Transfer Company and L. C. Frick Service Company which both ask permission to operate a bus and truck service between Peoria, Bartonville, Hollis, Mapleton, Kingston Mines, Banner, Monterey, Canton, St. David, Bryant, Lewistown, Duncan Mills, Summum, Astoria, and Rushville; the Strickland Bus company which proposed to operate a bus line between Mt. Carmel, Fairfield, Mt. Vernon, Ashley and Centralia, and the Carrolton Bus company which has applied for permission to operate between Carrollton, Eldred and Kampsville.

Objection will be voiced by Peoria and Pekin Union Railway company and the Illinois Power and Light company to the application of the Eagle Motor Coach line. The Simpson Motor Bus company will object to the application of the Carrollton Bus company.

Threats of prosecution by the Attorney General will be voiced by the commission in the hearing on Wednesday of the Postal Telegraph companys complaint of interference by the Marshall Ice & Power company of Marshall and Martinsville. The Marshall company, has been asked to show why it has not complied with the commission's order of March 10, 1924.

Permission to discontinue steam heating service in Morrisonville will be asked by the Illinois Power and Light corporation in another hearing Wednesday, and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad will ask permission to extend their tracks in Quincy across Monroe street along Front street to the North Star Strawboard Mills.

Five bus companies will also be heard Wednesday. The Illinois Power and Light corporation will ask permission to extend its bus lines in Peoria up Adams street to Fulton, up Fulton to Jefferson, up Jefferson to Hamilton and down Hamilton to Adams, thence to Franklin streets as heretofore. This service is to supplement the company's street car lines.

Permission to operate busses from Greenville, to Pocahontas, Highland, St. Jacob, Troy, Collinsville, Fairmount and East St. Louis, will be asked by Red Line Motor company. The Macomb Transportation company will seek permission to operate a motor carrier between Macomb and Colchester, Tennessee and Carthage, the the Murphysboro & Southern Railway company will ask permission to operate bus service between Murphysboro and Carbondale, to which request the Illinois Central railroad company will enter objections.

On Thursday the commission will hear arguments by the Lincoln Telephone company, which is backed by the Illinois Telephone association, in its application for higher rural rates about Lincoln, Elkhart and New Holland.

Construction and operation of an electric transmission line from Galesburg to Galva, by the Illinois Power and Light corporation will be the subject of another hearing Thursday.

The last hearing of the week, on Friday, will be that in which the city of Bloomington will petition the separation of grades at the crossing of Oakland avenue across the tracks of the Illinois Central railroad.

Tripolitan Bride Marked

In Tripoli, when a girl marries, her husband brands her as a sign of ownership, with a cross on the nose or a figure burned into her check or forehead.

"If at First You Don't Succeed—"

By H. IRVING KING

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GEORGINE WALCOTT was born of rich but fairly respectable parents and was brought up surrounded by a luxury which she did not appreciate. Therefore, when her father failed in business and poverty came in at the door of the splendid family mansion and served a dispossession notice, Georgine was rather glad than otherwise. Now she would be free from those social duties and social conventions which had heretofore "cabined and confined her life." Now she would learn life as it really was, and if she was sought in marriage would be sought for herself alone, and not for her father's money.

When a large fortune suffers shipwreck there are always some floating planks to which the survivors can cling for awhile until rescue comes or weariness overcomes them and they let go and drown. To such planks the Walcott family were now clinging, just afloat, and that was all, with no succor in sight. Georgine made a complete about face.

More and more as the drab and dreary days went by, Georgine found herself thinking of Ernest Evans, and wondering what had become of him. Not that Ernest was the sort of husband she was looking for now—oh, no; not in the least. He had no money. He was a young mechanical engineer and inventor.

Everybody said he was a fortune hunter. When a young man without means goes into society and is attentive to wealthy girls, what else does he expect people to say about him? Just before the Walcott failure Ernest had proposed to Georgine, and she, filled with her pet obsession of being sought for her money, had rejected him.

No sooner had she done so than she thought to herself: "I wonder if I have made a mistake? If he asks me again I don't know but—" Then came the crash and the Walcotts disappeared on the traceless ocean of the impecunious. "It is perhaps just as well that I did reject him," she thought now. "We should have only been two paupers together. But I really would like to see him—or at least hear how he is getting on. I wonder if he would ask me to marry him now. I couldn't, of course. No, no, I must marry money—for father and mother's sake, if for no other reason."

All good things come to him—or her—who waits, and at last the wealthy suitor whom Georgine was waiting for loomed on her horizon. Her father came home one day in an exceedingly cheerful mood and, chucking his handsome daughter under the chin, said: "Georgine girl, I've got a rich husband for you. What are you looking so glum about? Haven't you been saying of late that you would embrace a chance to mend the family fortunes by a suitable marriage?"

"Who is he?" asked Georgine.

"Hum!" replied her father, nettled by the manner in which his daughter had taken his announcement. "I won't tell you. You will know soon enough. He is coming to see you. He is all right—you will like him. And he is going to help me get back on my feet again, too, which is the main thing. Now don't let us have any of your fool girl tricks."

Face to face with the actualities of the case, Georgine weakened. She had thought that she had brought herself to a point where she would accept the hand of a wealthy suitor cheerfully and thankfully. But now she was overcome by a strange repugnance and a great distress of mind. And from the tumult of her thoughts the specter of Ernest Evans seemed to rise up and reproach her. The flat in which the Walcotts had taken refuge was situated in the vicinity of Gramercy park. The next day after her father had brought home his momentous news Georgine went out for a walk to compose her mind. She strolled aimlessly westward and had reached Madison square, when a cheery voice said: "Why, hello, Georgine. How are you?" and in a second she was shaking hands with Ernest Evans.

"Oh, Ernest!" cried Georgine, "I am so glad to see you."

"And I you," he replied. "Come, let us sit on one of those benches and talk."

The fountain was playing, the trees rustled overhead, the birds chirped and hopped about, and the "regulars" on the park benches looked at the couple languidly and disinterestedly. Georgine poured out her heart to Ernest. "And so, you see, I must marry for money," she concluded tearfully.

"Nonsense," said Ernest, "you are going to marry me for love."

"I—I always thought you would speak again," murmured Georgine.

"Well, I have—will you have me?" said Ernest.

"Yes, I suppose so," replied Georgine, "but what will father say?"

"Oh, that's all right," returned Ernest; "I spoke to him about it yesterday. He's agreeable!"

"Why, Ernest Evans!" cried Georgine, "you are not wealthy—"

"The wealthy suitor? The same, at your service," he interrupted. "You see, Georgine, I have three companies working my inventions now, and in the past two years have made nearly a million dollars. Enough to go to housekeeping on, isn't it?"

What happened after that is nobody's business. Weary Waggles, on the next bench, was scandalized to see a young man kissing a young woman right in public!

BUYS BARREL OF PICKLES, PUTS IN HIP POCKET KICK

Wid Wilburn Mistakes Officer's Salutation For Summons and Empties Mule

Have you purchased your supply of pickles yet?

If you haven't, it will probably be to your interest to see Wid Wilburn before purchasing for according to the police, Wid recently purchased a barrel of this semi-tropical fruit and is desirous of disposing of them at ridiculously low prices.

Wid's purchase was somewhat unexpected, even to himself, for he didn't know that the sale was made until he received a bill for them.

According to the police, officer Art Clem passed the Kroger Store on West Main street Saturday afternoon and saw Wilburn on the inside of the store.

The officer waved a salutation to Wid which he mistook for a command to come to him, and Wid walked back to a pickle barrel and broke a bottle of what was believed to have been intoxicating liquor into the pickles.

Policeman Clem then placed him under arrest on a charge of being intoxicated for which he was assessed a fine of $10 and costs when arraigned before Police Magistrate J. C. Randolph.

He later paid $10 to the manager of the Kroger store for the barrel of pickles.

If you want a pickle with a "kick" in it, see Wid.—Frankfort American.

BENTON MEN IN TROUBLE AT CHRISTOPHER

Walter Flannigan and Clyde Heasley were convicted before Police Magistrate E. A. West at Christopher late yesterday afternoon on a charge of disturbance, the former being fined $30 and the costs and the latter $15 and the costs. They also waived a preliminary hearing on other charges placed against them.

The men were arrested on charges growing out of disturbance just outside the south city limits of Christopher Friday afternoon. According to eye witnesses Flannigan and Heasley were driving down the hard road south of Christopher, Friday afternoon when they met two girls.

The girls, through a mistake in identity are said to have stopped the men, but after discovering their mistake started away. Flannigan is accused of motioning for them to come back, and when they did not, he followed them. The girls became excited and ran into the home of Lon Rowland.

Steve Farthing who was some fifty yards away saw the excitement and started to the rescue of the girls.

After this Flannigan is said to have gone to the door of the Rowland home where the girls had entered, and knocked on the door.

Mr. Rowland came out and tried to get the men away, witnesses testified yesterday, but on failing to do so went to the home of a neighbor to borrow a shot gun.

The men then left and went on down the road until they came to what is known as the Dial Bridge. Here they got their car in a jam with other cars, and Flannigan is charged with having drawn his gun and fired a wild shot.

Steve Farthing in the meantime had gone into Christopher for an officer, and found Chief of Police C. A. Holland. Chief Holland with Farthing, Tom Bacon, and J. D. Humphreys started after the car, and found it and its occupants near Zeigler. The men were searched and Flannigan's gun was taken from him.

Back in Christopher the men were faced with warrants for disorderly conduct, and were brought to Benton where they filled bond. In the meantime other warrants were sworn out against them, one each for disturbing the peace, one against Flannigan for carrying concealed weapons, and one agains Heasley for driving an automobile while intoxicated.

On their failure to fill bonds on the last charges, the men were placed in the city jail at Christopher about 6 o'clock Friday evening where they remained until about 10:30 the same night, when [illegible] came to their rescue and they were released.

Pupils to Take Part in Grain Judging Contest at Tiskilwa

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 3—(By A. P.)—Vocational agriculture pupils of 14 schools will meet at Tiskilwa, Ill., for a grain judging contest, Feb. 6 and 7 it was announced here by J. E. Hill, supervisor of agricultural education.

The schools taking part in the contest are: Geneseo, Manlius, La Moille, Princeton, Tiskilwa, McNabb, Toncia, LaSalle, Mendota, Leland, Mazon, Gardner and Toluca.

WAR VETS TO REMEMBER THE MAINE

Ceremonial to Be Held At Court House Feb. 15 By Public and Survivors of 3 Wars.

Egyptian Camp No. 106, Spanish American War Veterans, will hold an open meeting at the Court House on Sunday, February 15th, at two o'clock p. m., in memory of the sacrifices made when the Maine with her crew went to rest between the waves of Havana Harbor.

This is an open meeting for the public and will consist of talks by representatives of the Civil War, Spanish American War and the World War. Good music, will be furnished including numbers by the Benton Township High School band.

Two Hundred and Sixty-Six American sailors were in their berths and on duty at the hour of nine o'clock February 15th, 1898, when, without warning, an explosion occurred and the sailor boys crossed the bar. It is in memory of them and that which followed which prompted this meeting.

Whether you have been a soldier of any war, being interested in the history of your country you are cordially invited to attend this meeting and help make it a great success.

The greatest monument that can be erected to any individual or any cause is one not of cold grey stone, but one that may be in the hearts and memory of the grateful people.

Churches, schools, labor organizations, lodges, clubs and all citizens are requested to be present and help the veterans rear this monument still higher by tendering their hearty co-operation on this anniversary.

The program will appear next week.

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Union Labor Will Support Choisser Bill

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game laws were presented but chief interest centered in the proposal to create a separate conservation department to supersede the fish and game division of the department of agriculture, which would have charge of all affairs relating to fish, game and similar matters.

Separate bills were introduced in the house and senate. In view of the fact that the house bill was presented by Frank Abbey, chairman of the house fish and game committee, a favorable committee report is expected.

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SHERIFF GALLIGAN REFUSES TO QUIT UNDER FIRE

Slide In Cave Frees Man But Cuts Off Outside Entrance

Prisoner Free But is Too Weak to Work Way Out; Probable Rescue Soon.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—A slide in Sand Cave this morning let Floyd Collins' feet clear for the first time since he was imprisoned Friday morning when a boulder wedged his legs where rescue workers were unable to reach him, but Collins was left walled behind the rock which fell from the side of the cave.

This information was brought to the mouth of the cave by Roy Cooksey, a negro engaged in rescue work. The rock barricade probably can be cleared away some time this afternoon, Cooksey said.

Collins called from the other side of the rock slide that his feet were free but said he was too weak to work his way out. The slide which now barricades the progress was described by Ewing Ashley, an employe of the Kentucky Rock and Asphalt Company, who was with the rescue party, as one huge rock about the size of a soap box with an accumulation of earth and small stones surrounding it. Ashley has re-entered the cave with iron hooks and rope with which it is hoped to move the rock and clear the passageway. If Ashley's information is correct and no unforseen difficulty is experienced, Collins may be reached within a few hours, it was predicted.

John F. Collins, a miner who is not related to Floyd Collins, also said that he had talked to the imprisoned man but had been unable to see him because of the rock blocking the passage.

The rock which now blocks the passage, fell from the side of the cave according to Cooksey, who says it was the same disturbance which left Collins' feet free although the victim still is caught in the hole where he spent 124 hours.

CANADIAN GIRL BELIEVES SHE KILLED SISTERS

Alleged to Have Fed, Them Ground Glass; Is Under Observation of Alienists.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4—(By A. P.)—If seven year old Alsa Thompson did not kill her twin sisters in Canada two years ago by feeding them ground glass, she thinks she did, according to alienists who have examined her at the Psychopathic hospital where she is held today as a ward of the juvenile court.

Dr. Edwin Williams after questioning the girl, characterized her as an "abnormal child of high intellectual type" but "born with too much intellect and no judgment." He said that while he would not attempt to pass judgment on the truth or falsity of Alsa's "confession" to the police he was sure that Alsa actually believes she had killed her sisters and an adult who formerly took care of her and that she had mixed deadly potions for various other children and adults. Alsa's father, Rachel Thompson, characterized the child's story as absurd and impossible, but members of the family with which she has been boarding insists that she tells the truth and cites alleged incidents of her latest poisoning attempts.

DYNAMITE CAP TAKES FINGERS

Boy Finds Explosive, Hits it With Hammer And Then—

The ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Neal, living on Stotlar street, was injured yesterday afternoon, while playing with a dynamite cap.

The little fellow it was stated, had found the cap some where about the place, and not knowing of its danger struck it with a hammer. The explosion blew the end off the lads forefinger and thumb on the left hand. Dr. Ed Alvis was called and dressed the wounds.

Fortunately for the boy the injuries were not of such a nature as to require amputation of the fingers.

SENATE IN STIR OVER ADMITTANCE OF GIBBERSON

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—The lower house of the fifty-fourth general assembly passed its first bill this morning providing for a three million dollar bond issue for construction of a bridge connecting the north and south sections of Lincoln Park, Chicago, which will be submitted for approval of the Chicago voters on Feb. 24.

A Republican caucus in the Senate today voted to accept Sen. Gibberson, Alton, who was elected as a Democrat, into the Republican conferences. This action caused the abrupt departure of Senator Barbour of Chicago who declared that so long as Gibberson remained the Republican conference would be a "rump" conference.

Thompson and Forbes Sentenced To Penitentiary

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—Charles R. Forbes, former director of the Veteran's Bureau and John W. Thompson, wealthy St. Louis contractor, today were sentenced to two years imprisonment in the Leavenworth penitentiary and fined $10,000 by Federal Judge George A. Carpenter.

They were found guilty by a jury January 30, of conspiracy to defraud the government in veteran hospital contracts and received the maximum penalty. The court granted a thirty day stay of sentence for the filing of an appeal and defense counsel indicated the case would be immediately appealed.

"When those in high positions of public trust betray that trust there is an attack upon the fundemental fabric of our institutions," said Judge Carpenter and denied the motion for a new trial.

New Bill in Illinois Would Abolish Life Terms For Murder

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—State Representative Theodore Smith, Chicago, has offered to the Illinois General Assembly a bill providing for two degrees of murder, one fixing punishment at death and the second from fourteen years to life imprisonment. The bill is aimed to remedy defects in the criminal law of the state and grew out of the Leopold-Loeb case at Chicago. The proposed law eliminates life sentence for first-degree murder.

KELLEY GIVEN 3 TO 15 YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

Gunman Convicted of Attempting to Rob Standard Oil Filling Station.

James Kelley, alleged New York gunman, expert safe cracker and general all-around yegg, who on the morning of January 26, made an unsuccessful attempt to crack the safe of the Standard Oil Filling Station on South Main street, was found guilty in Circuit Court this morning on a charge of burglary with explosives, and was sentenced to serve from three to fifteen years in the state penitentiary at Menard.

Kelley was caught while attempting to blow the door of the safe in the filling station with heavy explosives, by Night Policemen James Pritchard and James Mundell, and after a heated street battle in which several shots were fired by the officers and the burglar, one of which passed through Officer Pritchard's hat, he was arrested and confined in the county jail. The Grand Jury met a few days later and found four charges against the man who gave his name as James Kelley and his home in New York City.

Besides the charge of which he was convicted, two charges were found by the Grand Jury charging Kelley with assault to murder, and one for having burglar tools in his possession.

After being convicted of the charge of burglary with explosives, the other charges were held over.

The defendant was represented by Attorneys Marion Hart and Tim Cantell. From the time of his arrest until he heard the sentence passed by the Court, the prisoner assumed an approachable attitude to such an extent that his attorneys were unable to get any kind of a statement out of him.

Since Kelley's arrest here on the morning of January 26, word concerning the man's past record has been coming in to Sheriff Dorris from all parts of the United States. Some of his many names have been on the records of at least a half dozen prisons.

He is a man about 58 years of age, with a record of crime extending over a period of some twenty-five or thirty years.

To Make Maps of Fields to Show Acidity Variations

GALESBURG, Ill., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—Farmers of Knox County, working in co-operation with the farm bureau, will make maps of their fields during the coming year to show variations in acidity. Mapping the soil is difficult but by a series of demonstration meetings, farm bureau officials say the work can be explained. Several thousand acres of soil will be tested and the results mapped.

The results are expected to prove of value in determining kinds of treatment to be given to increase yields.

Young Ladies Meet Thursday Evening

The Young Ladies Guild of the First Baptist church, will have a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. J. Smith Moore, Thursday evening, February 5th.

All members of the Guild are urgently requested to be present.

The president Miss Martha L[illegible] requests all members to be on time and bring with them material of the White Cross.

GALLIGAN WILL NOT AGREE TO BOARD'S TERMS

Says Such an Action Would Be Little Short of Graft; Favors Deputy Parks.

SHERIFF LEAVES FOR CAPITOL

Both Factions Go To Springfield to Lay Case Before Governor Small.

MARION, Ill., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—With the problem of identifying the unknown man, who was one of five slain in recent shootings in Herrin, solved for the grand jury by Lafe Farmer of Eldorado, who claimed th beody as that of his son, Phil, a new rift today grew wider in the affairs of the sheriff and the Board of Supervisors of Williamson county.

The board threw aside all plans outlined as a means toward peace and voted to ask Governor Small to oust Sheriff George Galligan, who refused to resign under fire.

A committee spent several hours with the sheriff and after reporting to the board yesterday, another committee was appointed, who were planning to visit the governor today and ask him to oust Galligan from office or to use his influence to bring about the sheriff's removal.

When the report was submitted to the board it was emphatic that there would be no compromise. Galligan was equally emphatic.

Serious doubt was expressed whether the board would accomplish anything by its action. Gov. Small, according to States Attorney Arlie Boswell, as far as he knew, has no power to remove the sheriff from office. Others agreed to this.

The action of the board was apparently taken on the grounds that Sheriff Galligan is liable to removal because he failed to appear at Springfield at the request of Adjt. General Black to argue his plea for martial law in Herrin. This, according to Boswell, is not sufficient grounds under the law for his discharge.

Several propositions were considered by the board and the sheriff yesterday afternoon.. The sheriff said that the committee, representing the board, had prosopsed that he resign

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FARMERS WILL MEET AT PARIS

State Institute to Draw Many Prominent Speakers.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 4—(By A. P.)—Virtually every phase of the farming business will be treated at the 30th annual session of the Illinois Farmers' Institute to be held at Paris, Ill., February 18, 19 and 20, according to the program announced here by H. E. Young, secretray.

The farm meeting is the culmination of a series of gatherings held in the counties of the state. Farming experts from Illinois and other states will present ideas and new agricultural developments in a series of addresses.

The first day will be devoted to the study of soil and [illegible] development. Dr. L. H. Smith of the University of Illinois will speak on "The

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CITY DADS GET REPORT OF OIL INSPECTOR

Money Derived From This Source to Help Maintain Police Department.

Monday nights meeting of the city commissioners passed quite uneventful. All were reported present with the exception of Mayor Lampley, who was confined to his bed with an attack of la grippe.

Outside of the allowing of a few minor bills, no business of any consequence came before the administrative body.

The most important feature of the entire meeting was the report made by officer Hodge, who is now acting as oil inspector, for the city.

Up until the latter part of November, the money derived from the oil inspection work, went directly to the oil inspector. The revenue from this source, on account of the tremendous increase in the sale of gasoline and oil from the various oil companies doing business in the city, had grown to such and extent, that the commissioners at that time deemed it advisable to annex the duties of oil inspector to those of the police department, and have the money turned directly into the city treasurer to be used in the maintenance fund for the police and fire department.

Officer Hodge assumed the duties of oil inspector about November the 27 and for the remainder of the month, according to the officers report $79.19 was turned into the city treasury as revenue from the work.

For the month of December $349.81 was reported, and for the month of January the revenue from the oil inspection work amounted to $238.10. Making a total of $666.35, all of which goes into the funds for the upkeep of the police and fire department.

Although the revenue from this source is decreased considerable during the winter months, on account of the decrease in sale of gasoline the commissioners believe that the money coming in from this work will average around $300 per month, and will amount to almost enough to maintain the police department, without having to resort to the drawing of anticipation warrants for the payment of the men, as has heretofore been necessary.

Banks of State Take Stand Against Scrub Dairy Sires

URBANA, Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—Illinois bankers are the latest group to throw their support and influence into the campaign which is being waged against scrub and grade dairy sires on farms of the state, according to C. S. Rhode, dairy extension specialist of the Illinois Agriculture College. Thirteen banks in different parts of the state already have announced support to the new Illinois bull exchange plan whereby farmers can trade their grade dairy sires for purebred registered dairy bull calves.

Banks which have approved this plan are located at Catlin, Belleville, Ashley, Denver, Galena, Kewanee, Henry, Chadwick, Carthage, Ottawa, Savanna, West Brooklyn, [illegible]

Boys to Raise Baby Beef Calves

URBANA, Il., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—Approximately 1,000 Illinois Farm boys and girls will raise baby beef calves as their junior club project this year under direction of their farm advisers and the Illinois Agricultural College, according to advance reports received from 26 counties of the state. Coles county was the first to send in an enrollment report. Thirty-six junior beef feeders who will feed and develop a total of 57 Hereford calves have placed their names on the club roster in that county.

Runaway Car Hits Wagon; Five Are Hurt

Mrs. John Owens and Four Children Hurt When Auto Strikes Wagon.

A most peculiar car accident took place on South Main street last night between 6:30 and 7 o'clock, when a large Buick car, running wild without a driver, ran into a one-horse wagon in which a woman and four children were riding, throwing them out and seriously injuring all five. The wagon was completely demolished, and the horse injured to such an extent that it is quite probable it will have to be killed.

The Buick car belonged to LeRoy Scott, who stated that he had just taken the car from a garage where he had been having some repair work done. Mr. Scott's wife and baby and Millard Vernon were with him in the car at the time the accident happened.

They were on their way home Scott said, and had stopped at the I. C. Cafe, near the Illinois Central station to purchase some lunch. Scott got out and went into the restaurant. When he returned and attempted to start the car, the starter refused to work. Having no crank, he stated that the only thing he knew to do was to jack up the rear wheel and crank with the wheel while the car was in high gear.

On about the first revolution of the wheel the car started, the vibration causing the car to fall off the jack, and immediately start off down the street in high speed.

Mr. Scott made an attempt to catch the car, but missed it. Millard Vernon who was in the front seat, did not know how to operate the car and was unable to stop it.

After running into another car, breaking down a telephone post, the run-away car hit a wagon which was driven by Mrs. John Owens.

Mrs. Owens had been to town was returning to her home about one-half mile west from the south city limits.

She had a small baby in her arms and three other children were riding in the back of the wagon.

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Good Will Tour To South America Is Postponed

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 4—(By A. P.)—The proposed South American good will tour, organized here and scheduled to sail from New Orleans today, has been postponed until about March 2, Eugene J. Roesch, supervisor, announced. The change in date was made, Roesch said, so that a greater number of business men might make the trip. The tour has the backing of commercial organizations here and in several other cities.

Morris, Ill., Man Commits Suicide

MORRIS, Ill., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—Worried because he had been summoned to appear in Chicago for federal grand jury service, Alfred Holmes, a farmer, hanged himself at his home near here yesterday. He had visited the city only once and then refused to alight from the automobile.

Smallpox Epidemic On in E. St. Louis

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., —(By A. P.)—Four additional cases of smallpox reported here, bring to 39 the number since January 1. No deaths have resulted.

STATE LEADERS SET STAGE FOR LEGISLATION

Shower of New Measures Expected to Be Presented to House and Senate.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 4—(By A. P.)—The stage was set here today for party leaders in the House and Senate to get down to business of considering legislation to be decided at this session of the fifty-fourth General Assembly.

Meetings of three committees were scheduled in the House and it was considered probable that several of the Senate committee would hold a session before the day was over.

Meanwhile it is expected that the shower of new measures which began [illegible] a number of representatives and senators are known to have bills drawn for presentation.

One which is being considered by W. H. Faulkner of Mt. Vernon, will have as its purpose the restriction that the Governor should not be eligible to re-election after one four year term. Another to be introduced by Theodore Smith of Chicago would amend the state judicial code so that, a verdict of guilty in first degree murder case would result in the automatic imposition of the death sentence.

SIXTEEN GET PAPERS

Naturalization Petitions Being Filed Today For May Term.

Yesterday was naturalization day of the February term of Circuit court and there were sixteen naturalized, as follows:

Julia Snedden Dalrymple, Rado Tatalovich, Anthony Paskevich, John Kovshek, Anton Baubles, Joseph Barisz, Helen Smodela, Dominick Furno, Steve George Panchoff, Simon Sovko, John Podhevsek, Joseph Fuhrer, Jas. Zeman, Mary Zeman, Gladys Zouglas, and Tony Rogers.

Petitions are being filed today for the May term hearing.

LOGAN MAN ARRESTED FOR DISTURBANCE

Charles Carlson of Logan was arrested last night by police officers and placed in the city jail on a charge of intoxication.

He was brought before Police Magistrate Albert Sanders this morning where he entered a plea of guilty to the charge and was assessed the usual fine and costs.

The officers charged that Carlson came to the scene of the wreck on South Main street last night and proceeded to create a disturbance.

THE WEATHER

ILLINOIS—Generally fair tonight and Thursday. Warmer tonight.

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For Justice of the Peace

We are authorized to announce that E. O. DIAL is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the township caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that T. I. GALLOWAY is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at their primary election or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that D. A. MOORE, of Logan, is a candidate for justice of the peace of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at the caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that M. N. WEBB is a candidate for justice of the peace of Benton Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the township caucus or primary when held.

For Constable

We are hereby authorized to announce that A. L. KINKADE will be a candidate for Constable of Franklin County, Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the spring primary.

We are authorized to announce that JAMES D. (JIMMY) MILLER is a candidate for the office of Constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at the caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that E. O. KELLEY is a candidate for constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that JAMES S. PRITCHARD is a candidate for the office of constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters of the Republican party at the spring primary or caucus when held.

Got "Fool's Gold"

Sir Martin Frobisher, the English navigator, although a gallant sailor, was no judge of gold. He was sent on two expeditions, in 1577 and 1578, to find gold, and on each occasion brought back worthless ore.

Read the Classified Column

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AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

What is Being Done or Talked About in Town and Rural Districts in Franklin County

FRISCO

The roads are muddy and the cars can't hardly run.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and family, Mrs. Winters visited Mr. and and Mrs. Loren Sink and family Sunday.

The meeting which has been going on at Frisco is being well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mossberger of Mt. Vernon, spent the latter part of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jenkins and family.

Mrs. Rhodie Burns and daughter visited Mrs. Allie Sink one day last week.

Archie Stubblefield of Sesser, called on Miss Ula Capps Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hughes visited Sunday at Mrs. Willie Lowry.

Mr. and Mrs. Imon Boyles, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Lowry and children spent Friday at C. B. Jenkins.

Sugar Camp school is progressing nicely, with Walter Neal as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jenkins spent Saturday night at Mrs. Caleb Lowry's.

Mr. Owen and Neil (Nimrod) Tucker fo Benton spent Saturday night with home folks.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Andrew Jaminski and wife to John Janco and wife, warranty deed; Lot 4 Block 10, Silkwood, Shaw and Pharis add. to West Frankfort. $1050.

C. W. & F. Coal Co., to Tom DeMartini, Quit claim deed; Lot 20 blk. 8; Sub div. pt N 1-2 NE. 16-7-2. $1.00.

T. M. Brayfied to O. W. Groom and wife; warranty deed; Pt. NW NW. 23-5-1. $160.00.

E. H. Browning and wife to Brewster Fisher; warranty deed; Charles Joiners 1st add to W. Frankfort; lot 3 blk 3. $2200.00.

W. A. Cox and wife to Barney W. Bolen; warranty deed; Lot 4 blk 1; Lohmeire 1st add to West Frankfort. $1.00.

Leah Phelps to Ada Summers; warranty deed; Lot 17 North Park add to Benton. $1.00.

James A. Hodge and wife to John Hutchinson; warranty deed; Pt W 1-2 NE SW; 16-6-3. $250.00.

Wm. McFarland and J. A. Elliott to J. F. Johnson, warranty deed; Lot 10 blk 1 Erma Place add to Sesser. $250.

JACKSONVILLE
By RUTH THARP

Sunday school at Oak Grove was attended Sunday morning by a number of fifty. We hope to increase the number each Sunday in the future as it has been increasing in the past.

Miss Pauline Cross spent Sunday with Miss Gertie Hager.

Misses Floe Page and Beulah and Iva Wells spent Sunday at the home of Misses Lucy and Eliza Drew.

Miss Alice Glenn spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks in Mt. Vernon.

Miss Ruth Tharp spent a few hours Saturday evening with Miss Effie Risley.

James Risley, Effie Risley, Mrs. Deliah Huffstutler and two children spent Sunday visiting relatives in Dahlgren.

Walter Hutchcraft and family of Dahlgren visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilkey, Saturday.

Arpha Kern was a business visitor in Benton Saturday.

Norval Page called on Miss Lucy Drew Sunday evening.

Frankie Miller was in Dahlgren Monday.

Arpha Kern was a business visitor in Macedonia Wednesday.

Mr. Marion Richardson son, Fred were in Dahlgren Wednesday.

Little Miss Frieda Sink who has been very sick is reported somewhat better at this writing.

C. E. Tharp assisted J. A. Kern in butchering, Thursday.

Fred Richardson made a business trip to Dahlgren Thursday and brought out his household goods which had been shipped from the north.

Friday afternoon being time for the regular change of exercises at our school a spelling match was had. Miss Ruby Tharp and Mr. Irvin Boster choosing the house. In the end Misses Ruby Tharp and Alma Kern being best noted spellers, both taking their seat by the mispelling of the same word. The match was greatly enjoyed by all who was present.

Frankie Miller was employed hauling hay Thursday of last week.

Wm. Wagner and family who moved to Benton some time ago has returned to their home in this vicinity. They seem to think farm life far more prosperous that life in the city. Although there is "No Place Like Home"

Levi Capps spent Thursday night at the home of Willie Sink.

Mrs. Harriet Drew of Dahlgren spent the latter part of last week with Miss Effie Risley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Browning were in Dahlgren Saturday.

Ray McClure was a business visitor in Benton Tuesday.

Mrs. Josie Wilkey called on Miss Effie Risley Saturday afternoon.

James Risley and sisters, Miss Effie Risley and Mrs. Deliah Huffstutler and two children, Florence and Fyold spent a few hours of Saturday night at the home of Charley McCoy listening over the radio.

Eugene McClure spent Saturday with one of his schoolmates, Martin Wilkey.

Frankie Miller called at the home of Miss Ruth McKay Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and daughters, Ruth, Edna and Mary Alice spent Sunday at the home of Loren Sink and family.

Wm. Wagner assisted his brother-in-law, Willie Richardson in sawing wood Monday.

Delmar Brummet who has been absent from school for the past few weeks on account of sickness, returned again Monday. Everyone was glad to see their little school mate back again.

We are having some cold weather again this week although the groundhog did not see his shadow we will expect some spring weather in the near future.

Irvin McKay was in this vicinity on business Monday.

Mr. Lewis Phillips and grandson, Joe Stebbins were in Macedonia Saturday.

MT. ZION

Church was well attended at Mt. Zion Saturday and Sunday. Rev. J. C. Elliott preached for us.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dillon visited Mr. Marshal Overturf and family Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Capps and daughter Fern, Mr. J. M. Little and Miss Gladys and Lydia Briley motored to Herrin Thursday to attend the funeral of Glenn Young.

Miss Gladys Briley spent Sunday with Miss Fern Capps.

Mr. Everett and Earl Beaty, Frank Page, Carl and Allie Neal, Cecil Sights, Miss Fern Capps and Gladys Briley visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rose Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Capps, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rose and son, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Little spent Saturday and Sunday in Herrin, visiting relatives.

Miss Vanetta Briley spent Sunday with Miss Helen Bauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scarborough spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Malinda Briley and family.

Mr. Carl Neal has returned home from St. Louis.

Walter Isaac visited Mr. Tim McCollum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Haggard and Mr. and Mrs. Howard McIntyre spent Sunday with Mrs. Malinda Briley and family.

Mr. Charlie Haggard of Nason Ill., spent the latter part of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Haggard.

Miss Wilma Carlton and Gladys and Lydia Briley visited Mt. Zion School Friday afternoon.

Miss Doris Dillon who has been staying at Benton and going to school spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents.

Miss Hazel Overturf visited Gladys and Lydia Briley Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Waymond Capps spent Saturday night with Mr. Carl Scarborough.

Miss Margaret Overturf spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Dillon.

Miss Opal Dolling is one among the sick list.

Mrs. Malinda Briley is weaving rugs for Mrs. Blanche Odum.

SAULS

We are having some rain at this writing which will make the roads very bad.

Miss Dorothy Pemberton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Opal Atchison.

Neva Carlisle and wife were guests of the latter's parents Saturday night.

Fred Williams delivered some nice dressed hogs to a butcher shop at Logan Saturday morning.

Clare McFarland attended church at Pleasant Valley Saturday night.

Mrs. Dollie Shepard took dinner with Mrs. Lola Nave Friday.

L. T. Shepard, wife and son, Ellsworth, made a business trip to West End Saturday.

Richard Johnson, our mail carrier, made his regular route last week. We were glad to see him back on the job.

Perry Liles and daughter Pauline drove through our streets Sunday.

Columbus Pemberton purchased a cow from Taylor Bowman of Thompsonville a few days ago.

Ulys Dunivan made a business trip to Thompsonville Saturday.

M. E. Shepard of Benton spent Friday night with his father-in-law W. H. Eickelman.

Mr. Jackson of Galatia was in this vicinity last week looking for some mules.

Daniel E. Shepard of Harrisburg was through these parts last Friday.

It's a shame how C. W. Biggs beat his wife up last week. He arose at four and she got up at five.

Hello Gresham, keep a coming with your news.

GRESHAM

O. P. Rhine and family visited relatives in Benton last Sunday.

Carl Neal returned from Chicago recently.

Noel Phillips and wife visited with friends in Benton Sunday.

Edd Beatty and family motored to West Frankfort Sunday.

Aunt Flora Bain is some better, but isn't able to be up yet.

Church at Mt. Zion Saturday night and Sunday was well attended.

Rolla Robertson of Logan was through these parts recently.

Floyd Phillips and Webb Good called on Malcomb Williams Sunday.

Vernon Hood and wife visited with relatives in Benton Saturday.

Hazel Payne spent the week end with home folks.

Subscribe for the Benton Evening News. Every farmer should have the privilege of reading it daily.

Ethel Alexander of Benton visited Mrs. Cabbot Page last Saturday.

Hattie Clark spent the week end in Benton with relatives.

Mrs. Curtis Wilhelm was the guest of Cloy Clark recently.

Ava Bauer and Anna Flannigan have been on the sick list.

Ruby Robertson spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Phillips visited relatives in this vicinity Friday.

Lonnie Capps and Jimmie Little were business visitors at the Clark Brothers garage last week.

Charlie Tippie made a business call at Webb's Hill last Saturday.

Harmon Drew and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willis Duncy.

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PERSONALS

BOWERS ENTERTAINS ORIENTE CLUB

Mrs. Orlotte Club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bowers on Smith street. There were ten members and two visitors present. Lately refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, ice cream and Angel Food cake.

Every member is requested to be present at the next meeting which will be held Tuesday, 26th, 1940, at the home of Mrs. Wood Doudlet, on West Main Street.

EASTERN STAR TO

regular meeting of the Eastern Star Tuesday. After the chapter there will be a covered dish social. All members are asked to be present.

Gladys Hunter is a patient in the Mayo hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stoddard spent last evening in West Frankfort

Mrs. Walter Treadwell of Orient was a business visitor in Benton yesterday.

Mrs. John Bellamy is reported ill at her home on McCann street.

The regular meeting of the Clerks Union will be held Thursday evening

Mrs. George Andrews had her tonsils removed in Dr. Johnson's hospital this morning

There will be a dance Thursday night at the Moose Hall under the direction of Women's Moosehart Legion.

Mrs. T. C. Joiner and Miss Marie Whittington were visitors in West Frankfort Saturday.

Tony Stacy of Christopher underwent a tonsil operation in Dr. Johnson's hospital this morning.

There will be a meeting of the Elks Lodge Tuesday night.

Miss Lydia Ogle

Dr. and Mrs. Clyde D. Mitchell of Springfield are the guests of Mr and Mrs. J. E. Webster

H. O. Young is transacting business in St. Louis today.

Miss May Sneed is spending the day with relatives in Ina

Men and Women, to secure Membership in the Moose Hall, Tuesday, 8 to 9 o'clock.

N. Levine of Vandalia is the guest of his brother-in-law, I. Bass and family today.

Mrs. Lucie Stillman and daughter of West Frankfort are visiting relatives in Benton.

Rev. W. N. McCreary of Thompsonville is a patient at the Moore hospital.

Sale Date of Acting Business

When and where the sale of the Acting Business will be held.

Freeman Harris is home from Chicago to spend a few days.

Mrs. G. H. Shaw who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. L. Murphy of West Frankfort has returned to her home.

Good Timothy Hay, $16 per ton at Webb's Mill, McLeansboro state road 1 1-2 miles from us, good dirt road balance way.—A. N. Webb & Son. 4-C

Mrs. Andy Zoughaib of West Frankfort was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. Andy Zoughaib of West Frankfort was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Zoughaib of the

2:30. Every lady of the church is urged which will be presented at this meeting.

day evening, home to their friends at 505 North McLeansboro St.

Mrs. Anna Wilson underwent a major operation at the office of Drs Alfred and Alvin yesterday afternoon

friends formerly connected with the city schools here and is quite well known

$300 to $500 per month. For particulars phone NOW Benton, Ill. 2-B

Loren Clayton is convalescing nicely at his home on North Main street.

Roy Kirkpatrick are visiting relatives in Mt. Vernon

Mrs. Letcher Ward visited in Mt. Vernon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. returned from a visit in Memphis, Tenn.

State Game Warden G. S. Wilhite of Thompsonville was in Benton today where he had a case before Judge

Ward has been received here that Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hough of Chicago are the parents of a baby boy born Tuesday. Mrs. Hough will be remembered here as Miss Ruth Ward.

Better Business Methods Discussed by Sun. Co. Guests

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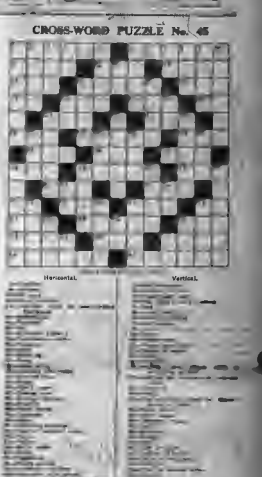

Negro Slaves Sold in Galena in Early Days of That City

GALENA, Ill., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—Negro slaves were bought and sold in Galena in the early days of the town's history, records in the office of the circuit clerk of Jo Daviess county reveal. One record, typical of all transactions, made in May, 1830, follows

"Know all men by these presents: Gen'l. Jesse W. Delpenedo for and in consideration of $530 to me in hand paid, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have this day bargained and delivered unto John H. Bonneter, county of Jo-Daviess, state of Illinois,

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NEW CHILD LAW

Child Labor Amendment Fight By No

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 4—(By A. P.)—Although it has been announced that more than one quarter of the

Labor committee, as an address before

hall the final victory of the amendment," he said.

of the amendment rested, in the wide-

ley declared. "Two major questions

ress", and, assuming that we are right that the government should have the

"In answer to the first, it might be said that the government has no such

power exists. Also reason as opposed that the Amendment is well drawn.

"A good deal of controversy has

fice, it also means that the federal

reserves the power to make. Another very important reason for the 18 year

dren employed in hazardous occupations such as oiling and cleaning machinery

in improvement in the lives of working children and a consequent decrease in child labor. Now, however, we again

an increase in child labor.

"Why was the word labor used in plead of employment? Because there are numerous where children work with parents, as along the gulf coast of Florida, and in the sweat shops of New York City.

"A more epidemic ground for opposition comes from those who ask whether federal power will not tend to decrease the sense of local responsibility. Local responsibility was not

were in operation. Why not?

"People are likely to get away from the real issue in the legal interpretation of the amendment."

Woman's Club Members Invited To Attend Forum

The members of the Boston We-

forum is to grace upon the

of the Illinois Women's Joint Legislative Committee, in the Gold Ball Room of the Congress Hotel, at Springfield, Friday and Saturday, February 9th and 7th, 1930.

Two delegates are allowed clubs of and one delegate for every additional membership. Delegates fee will be $1.00, payable on arrival, Friday, Feb. 6, at 9 a. m. in the foyer of the Gold Ball Room.

Morning sessions from 10

Have Legislation.

Child is Burned To Death

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 4—(By A. P.) While playing with matches, 15-months-old Anna May Hooker probably fatally burned

Office Under Fire

FIVE ARE HURT

slavery for the remainder of its term.

ing to burn the offices over to Randall

committee sent on Gov. Fazas was a second cousin of Delos Duty, former

of the anti-ban faction.

As a substitute the name of Uncle George Walker, a deputy and

ed by Gulliman's failure to report to Springfield to confer with Adjt. Gen.

at his counsel, was contempt of high

war, upon State Representative William Hunt Ready and Senator William H.

M. Garrison, Grant Crossen, E. Carr, M. Garrison, Grant Cyan, and E. A. Carson were appointed, but the board decided that every member that could possibly make the trip should attend. Their accompanying the committee night push the project, it was said.

Fred Hamilton, of Springfield was made chairman of the committee and he wired Ready and Stead last night to obtain an appointment with Governor Small and the Adjt. General.

Under plans made last night the committee and others were to

for the state capital in autom

today, their arrival there to be this afternoon or tonight. Sheriff Hagan indicated that he also would visit the capital tomorrow to lay his view

Secrecy veiled the movements of the rival factions. It was learned, however, that members of the committee and board of supervisors had left for Springfield presumably by automobile as planned today. Sheriff George

accompanied by several car

where they took the tr

St. Louis.

Meanwhile in Herrin Police Magistrate Abe Hicks had continued indefinitely the trial of John Smith, a Klan leader, who was arrested last Saturday on charges of disturbing the peace, brought against him by Chief of Police A. M. Walker.

Harris remained in the firelight yesterday despite the conference here which drew much of the

"This was the fir heard of his sister father said. "She

occupants were injured out.

pavement around, fel

The other children were considerably injured, but were reported as not

Dr. Walter Alvis was called, and after administering first aid rushed

internal injuries.

Scott was immediately arrested and held by the coroner to assist in

nine News this morning stat ed he was absolute powerless to have prevented the accident, and was anxious to do every thing in his power to make things right. He ask relatives of the injured women this morning to

wait a day or two, that he may have time to determine the seriousness of the injuries.

action would be taken in the matter until the affair was thoroughly investigated and the condition of persons injured determined

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[illegible] Shade, Apply 300 N. Connecticut [illegible]

[illegible] Enoch Kennedy, 400 N. Stuyvesant St. [illegible]

FOR SALE—No. 1, Black Seed Oats $0.50, test on ticket at Washington about 5th and 6th of Feb., at 50 per bushel. Pierce Brothers, Ewing, Ill.

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FOR SALE—Some cow, fresh in Smith St. [illegible]

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$21.00, One 3-burner oil stove $6.00; [illegible]

[illegible] C. cut-off, apply Orange Lodge [illegible] Wyatt, 801 Smith St., Benton. [illegible]

FOUND—[illegible] in my store, come for your keys going to describing and paying for this notice. L. I. Trumbly [illegible]

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[illegible] direct from factory to wearer. Real silk waiste at $22.75 and suit to [illegible]

[illegible] cotton free by return mail.—[illegible]

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WEEI, Boston—8 orchestra, 9 Harry Einstein—cloth mandolin, concert.

[illegible] quartet, trio, prince of the Legi[illegible]

WLIO, Des Moines—6-30 orchestra; 7-30 dance, cornetist; 9 symphonic.

WHAS, Ft. Worth—7-30 program; 9 "8 dance, 12 (special) Negro Holy [illegible] camp meeting.

WHAS, Louisville—7-30 concert, recitations.

STAR Theatre
Wed. and Thur.

REPORT C. STATE SUPERVISION OF BANKS AS ADVANTAGEOUS BANKERS

ALTHOUGH many [illegible] arrangements have [illegible] practically [illegible]

[illegible] vision. It is on [illegible]

state government, that the issues of office be made more secure [illegible]

successful banking experience, and then having the requisite qualities [illegible]

[illegible] Bank Commissioners are appo[illegible] states they are called [illegible]

[illegible] the selection is made by a convention of delegates from the state [illegible]

[illegible] are given in order was issues of [illegible] ranges from two years to six. The [illegible] tenure in office, make a short [illegible] merely have time to become thoroughly acquainted with his field of work before the expiration of his term of service and the public would lose the fruits of his experience. A five year term is long enough to permit the rendering useful service through capitalizing his experience [illegible]

[illegible] more expensive of system is that [illegible] sanction of bank commissioner [illegible]

[illegible] type of bank supervision and regula[illegible]

[illegible] as known as statutory whatever for Bank Commissioner. A system merely on paper that has adopted sanction [illegible] in many cases perish begging [illegible]

Only twenty states require actual [illegible] Bank Commissioners [illegible] Commissioner. Commission from all [illegible] more or less complete authority on the state banking department to act [illegible] court for approval. In other states [illegible] unanimous opinion of bankers and [illegible] banking department as to permit the employment of experienced men of [illegible] experience in working up the affairs of a bank. A more expedient, economical and improved bank examiner [illegible]

THE FRIENDLINESS OF MODERN BANKING

BY WILLIAM E. KNOX
President American Bankers Association

[illegible] a better time in the world, that is, [illegible] the expense the favor of [illegible]

The tellers and clerks treated the [illegible] Arabian desert, a journey which for [illegible] in two days, Damascus and Bagdad [illegible] Jerusalem will also be visited.

[illegible] Instructions—In the very nature of [illegible] Commissioner. Commission from all [illegible] calls on Saturday morning to collect [illegible] the state banking department to act [illegible] was recently paid for a small every [illegible] $500.

[illegible] for the paper. They must pay on Sat[illegible]

[illegible] One advice to [illegible] [illegible] very, especially [illegible] with [illegible] in the [illegible]

[illegible] together in groups, but they do not get any real touch of Amer[illegible] group of people subjected to a [illegible] that is willing to listen to them, their troubles, their crisis, is willing to sit [illegible] greater savings bank [illegible] terested people, to do things for them, [illegible] Little more money than the savings bank can take care of what they can [illegible]

Big Millinery Display
at
Paul Hochman's

SHOES!
The Silk and Satin Kind
Now may cut wind to wear one shoes always with silks and satins,
[illegible] stockinly right. [illegible]
There have everything in them to make them so, but should you
popular priced s[illegible]
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FRANKLIN COUNTY'S HOME DAILY — BENTON, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY [illegible] 1925

GALLIGAN TO LEAVE COUNTY

Cave Prisoner May Be Crushed By Rising Floor

All Out Side Passages Cut Off; Only Hope Now is to Sink Shaft From the Top.

P[illegible] been permanently entombed in his Sand Cave prison, 150 feet under ground by a rise in the floor of the c[ave] and all hope of rescuing him by and natural pa[ssage] has been abandoned

Four trips into the cave have con[vin]ced geologists, coal miners and military authori[ties] in charge of the work that their only chance to reach Collins is by sinking a shaft from the top of the hill and endeavoring to tun[nel to] the imprisoned man

An attempt to mine into the cave probably will be fatal to Collins it [illegible] W H Cherry, [illegible]ent has been dispatched in an automobile with instructions to get mine machinery wherever [it can] be found

The slow rising of the floor within the cave began shortly after midnight A rescue crew which entered at 1:00 a. m. found th[at] the floor apparently had swelled only a few feet from Collins

A third trip revealed that the slow rising had continued and when the miners emerged after their fourth underground visit, they declared that the passage way had been completely sealed.

There had been no more rock falls or cave-ins it was said. The swelling apparently had lifted solid rock from the floor to the roof of the cave. This [a]ction closed the passage way for an indefinite distance and may have crushed Collins if it extended that far

LIONS ISSUE CHALLENGE TO ROTARY CLUB

Great "Pep" Meeting Held at the Benton Country Club Last Night.

Its bound to come out, you may keep a wild animal caged up all winter long, and if he [is] fed properly he won't make much noise while the snow is falling and the ice is freezing on old mens whiskers. But when the warm spring days come along, with the bright sunshine and the fragrant [illegible] there a twitte[r] [illegible] enough to make most any [illegible] get up, stretch himself, snort a time or two and go forth to devour whatever may happen to get in the [illegible]

So it is with the Lions, all through the long winter months, while the snow was falling fast and the sleet falling faster, and the radiators freezing, and all that sort of thing, the old kings of the forest kept very quiet, but now this warm sunshine and warm balmy days has awakened their primitive instinct, and last night their regular meeting at the Country Club is spoken of as one of the best for many moons. They ripped and they roared, and let the world know that they were Lions, and fully bent on doing something worth while. Several very important civic questions were discussed, and an address was given by Prof Wooters, concerning the Boy Scout movement and its effect on the community at large.

The meeting as a whole was considered a very successful one in every respect. Then as things began to warm up, the boys began to feel quite playful, and issued a challenge to the Rotary Club, to mete them any night in the week for a basket ball game.

The Lions are a pretty nifty bunch of ball tossers, and feel sure they can give the Rotarians a run for their money.

It was stated at last nights meeting that some of the Rotarians are afraid to meet them, however, they say there is a chance that the word did not get to the proper parties, and are willing to give them another chance before putting on the belt for [illegible]

CHARLES BRYAN VISITS BOYHOOD HOME AT SALEM

SALEM, Ill., Feb. 5.—(By A. P.)—Former Gov. Charles W. Bryan of Nebraska, now on a 60-day automobile trip constituting his first "real [vaca]tion" in years, arranged to spend today at Salem his boyhood home. The former governor visited Mt. Vernon [illegible] [th]e vice presidential candidate last fall, and regretted he could not come here at that time.

"The Democratic party is neither demoralized nor discouraged," Bryan told Edwardsville reporters yesterday. "It has been only temporarily defeated through dissension in its own ranks and the work of the progressive forces [illegible] issues were injected into the campaign, but the Western and Southern states will again get together."

Accompanied by Mrs. Bryan he is [going] to the home of his brother, [Willi]am Jennings Bryan, at Miami, [illegible]

SIX ARRESTED IN ORIENT RAID LAST NIGHT

County Officials Find Liquor at a Number of Alleged Bootlegging Joints.

A number of surprise parties is reported as having been given last night in the little city of Orient situated about three miles northeast of West Frankfort, where several representatives from the States Attorneys office and the Sheriffs office made a surprise call to a number of alleged "Bootlegging joints" confiscated a quantity of "mule" and made six arrests.

The States Attorneys office was represented by Judge Glenn, while Sheriff Dorris had with him, deputies Lewis, Talford, Pyles, Perrin and a number of special deputies [illegible] and several places known [illegible] where it was understood [illegible] Mule" was being dispensed in various quantitie[s]

A quantity of liquor was found at each place, and taken in charge by the officers to be held as evidence

Joe Matulas, Robert McFadyan, Joe Dobosa, Vince Poop, Charlie Ruhm and Mary Goroski, were all arrested. Joe Matulas and Robert McFadyan gave bond but the others unable to fill bond were brought to Benton and placed in the county jail, to awa[it] the action of the grand jury or until satisfactory bond can be given.

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HERRIN IS A GOOD PLACE TO BE "FROM" JUST AT PRESENT

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 5.—Whether there is a general exodus from Herrin, Ill., as the result of the latest disturbances and developments, is not known in Cairo but the fact that five automobile loads of Herrin people passed through Cairo, bound for southern points, last evening, would seem to lend some color to the statement

It is quite possible that it was a mere coincidence, but the arrival of five auto parties during the night, all inquiring as to road conditions to various places in southern states, created an impression here that a good many people have come to the conclusion that Herrin was a good place to be "from" just at this time

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INVESTIGATION IS STARTED IN STUDENT DEATH

Columbus, O., Police to Question University Men Regarding Poison Capsules.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 5.—(By A. P.)—Columbus police this morning prepared to question the first of more than sixty Ohio State University students, who last week worked in the pharmacy dispensary from which capsules, some of which contained poison, were used to fill prescriptions written by the University Student Health Service, causing the death of one and the illness of at least four others.

The task of the investigators in[cludes]:

First: To discover who gave out the capsules containing the poison instead of ones containing qu[inine] which closely resembled the poison.

[Second]: To find out if possible the motive, if any, underlying the act.

Belief that the poison was intentionally placed in the capsules was strengthened yesterday by the finding of definite traces of the deadly drug in the stomach of David Pusken, of Canton, Ohio, a senior, who died suddenly Sunday after a brief, but violent illness.

WILLIAMSON COUNTY BONDS DEAR 5 PERCENT

MARION, Ill., Feb. 5.—The financial condition of Williamson County and its ability to meet future indebtedness is considered to be above [pa]r by financiers. This was fully demonstrated at the meeting of the county board of supervisors which has just adjourned

H. C. Spiers and Son, a large bonding house of Chicago, offered the board and they accepted the offer, of purchasing the $100,000 bond issue [illegible] [inter]est and the company offered to pay one half a per cent above par for them and also agreed to pay 4 per cent on the principle of the bonds left with them. The company [illegible] in preparing the legal papers and records, thus saving the county a big item of expense in that respect.

The board felt that they had received an unusually high offer and that the bidding for the bonds, showed full confidence in the future of the county. The election on the bonds is set for June

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Jimmy Eskew is home from [illegible] sign for a few days v[isit]

MRS. L. L. JONES OF ZEIGLER ENDS HER OWN LIFE

Ill Health is Given as Reason For the Act; Funeral Services to Be Held Friday.

A special call from the editor of the Zeigler News, to the Evening [News this] morning tells of the tragic [death of] Mrs. Generva Jones, wife of L. L. Jones, prominent business man of Zeigler which took place yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock when the wife, despondent over ill health ended her l[ife] by sending a bullet from a .32 calibre revolver through her brain

L. L. Jones was a member of the firm of Brown and Jones [illegible] and Furniture, dealers of Zeigler, and a brother to D. C. Jones, Lumber dealer and real estate man of West Frankfort.

Mrs. Jones it was stated had been in ill health for the past few years, and was at the time of her death suffering from a nervous break down the results of her years of [illegible]

In an effort to restore her broken health, he had been taken to a number of hospitals in different parts of the country during the past [ye]ar but with little results.

She had been at home for the past several weeks, it was stated and apparently growing worse day by day. The first of the week the husba[nd] decided to take his wife to a hospital

ROYALTON MEN SENTENCED FOR ROBBERY

Hearing Given Today Results in a Term of One to 14 Years in Penitentiary.

Frank Durham and James Sample, two Royalton youths, who were arrested and confined in the county jail here, Thursday morning, following an unsuccessful attempt Wednesday night, January 14, to hold up and rob Carlo Cappi, a Royalton merchant, were given a hearing this morning in circuit court before Circuit Judge Eagleton, found guilty to a charge of assault with intent to rob and sentenced to serve from one to 15 years. Durham goes to the state penitentiary at Menard, while Sample will go to the State reformatory at Pontiac.

Both boys are well known residents of Royalton, and the news of their crime on the evening of January 14th [ca]me as a surprise to many of their friends.

The would be holdup men, it was stated, made an effort to holdup and rob Carlo Cappi, a grocer and butcher of Royalton, as he was leaving the store, Wednesday [illegible] and was later responsible for their arrest.

The boys were brought to the county jail where they were held until a hearing was given them this morning

Judge Eagleton, in passing sentence on these young men, cautioned them to let this be a lesson to them; picturing to the inevitable road which all criminals must eventually travel

"You boys are still young," Judge Eagleton said, "and have a long life before you. I hope that you will profit by this experience, and come back from the different [illegible] which you are sent, reformed men, and will make good and useful citizens in the future"

HERRIN WIDOWS BARED BY MAYOR OF HARRISBURG

Ultimatum Issued Forbidding Mrs. Young and Mrs. Thomas Speaking in That [illegible]

HARRISBURG, Ill., Feb [illegible] A. P.)—Mrs. S. Glenn Young [illegible] of the slain dry raider of Williamson county, will not appear at a local theatre here tomorrow after [illegible] neither will Mrs. Ora Thomas, widow of the slain deputy sheriff, speak in the same theatre a few days later [thi]s the announcement made by [illegible] Guy Patterson and Sheriff [illegible]mall, as citizens began to expre[ss] their d[is]approval of the either of the [illegible] speaking here

When it was announced that Mrs Young was to appear here Friday afternoon, members of the opposition faction got busy and sa[id] they would have Mrs. Thomas speak here a few days following Mrs. Youn[g]

Ma[yor] Patterson said "Harrisburg and Saline county people are at peace among themselves. We have [no] warfare here and no sore spots to heal. While perhaps the coming of these ladies would do no harm neither would any good result. We [wi]ll not permit any starting of Williamson county troubles in [illegible] county, [illegible]burg."

Also Barred at [illegible] CARBONDALE [illegible] A. P.) [illegible] a local theatre by Mrs Young, was ordered cancelled today at a special meeting of the Carbondale City Council. With this county adjoining Williamson, city officials expressed the fear that Mrs. Young's appearance would tend to aggravate feeling in this community

Last Herrin Victim Buried [EL] DORADO, Ill., Feb. 5.—(By A. [P.])—Phillip Farmer of this city, [the] last victim in Williamson county's warfare, killed Sunday morning by a police officer at Herrin while Farmer had another officer covered with a gun, was buried yesterday afternoon in the Masonic cemetery at Raleigh.

WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL SOCIAL PARTY

Country Club is Scene of Brilliant Valentine and Costume Affair.

The Benton Country Club was the scene of a most delightful social affair yesterday afternoon, when the Benton Woman's Club held their [an]nual social meeting

The guests which numbered about two hundred were met at the door by [illegible] Smith as colored butler [illegible] Mrs N. S. Helm, as the colored maid, awaited their arrival and looked after their every want. In the receiving line were Mrs. Edgar Austin dressed as Uncle Sam; Mrs. Frances Dunn, as [illegible] W. H. Alvis, A. E. Maglin, M. M. Warren and W. A. McKee as colored dames, to introduce the guests and see that all had a good ti[me]

The walls of the spacious reception hall were decorated with the nation colors while the ceiling glowed with hearts and arrows in keeping with St Valentine.

A splendid program of entertainment had been arranged which [con]sisted of a clever singing contest [of] national airs and which showed [spl]endid talent, some time was s[pent] in solving a cross word puzzle [rela]tive to the first president and early history of our country. This displayed the ability of the ladies at this great [illegible]

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MISSOURI BANK ROBBERY WAS AN 'INSIDE' JOB

Cashier's Aid Held in Connection With the Theft of Large Sum Fulton Institution.

[illegible] cashier of the First National Bank [illegible] was arrested at 10 o'clock last night, when all but $500 of the $12[illegible] which Cowan said a bank robber [illegible] in a spectacular [illegible]s holdup in the bank last Saturday, was recovered in a small store [ro]om of the main banking room

The arrest of Cowan created a sensation. He had been a highly [re]spected member of the communit[y]

The recovered money was wrappe[d] [illegible] breeches hidden [illegible] o stolen money [illegible]rated his original story [of] having been slugged and rendered unconscious by an intruder who in[va]ded the bank building shortly after he (Cowan) we[nt] to the bank ahead of time Saturday morning to do some work

Cowan, in reporting the robbery, [sai]d he arrived at the bank early in the morning and that he left the fron[t] door open for ventilation purposes.

"A man came in with a $15 check and when I told him he would have to be identified, he struck [at me] through the teller's window [That] is all I remember until I was found.

A severe grilling failed to change Cowan's story

[illegible] found a few minutes after the holdup lying on the floor back of the teller's cage in an unconscious condition. There were bruises on his head and face. Later [i]n the day he resumed work

Cowan, at the time, was unable to furnish a description of the bandit He accounted for this by saying that his entire attention was attracted to the check which the man offered. Cowan said he had just opened the vault when the robbery occurred

MILLIONS OF U. S. DOLLARS SENT FROM GERMANY

American Banknotes and Silver Certificates Hoarded During Inflation Period

BERLIN, Feb. 5.—(By A. P.)—[illegible] went back to the mother country at a record rate in 1924. During the inflation period American banknotes and silver certificates and all sorts of other Ameri[can] paper money were hoarded. Friends and relatives remitted money to Germany in the form of bills and it was tucked away for a rainy day While the German paper money was fluctuating so wildly nobody wanted to hold it. Consequently all sorts of foreign stable [illegible] English pounds.

Now that the rentenmark has been fairly firm for nearly a year [illegible]s have general confidence [illegible] letting go of their [illegible] t a rapid rate. Germans who hoarded foreign gold or silver are out of luck, as the e[x]change rate on it is extremely bad Nobody wants hard money and the [illegible] rate on foreign gold coins [illegible] sums is often 20 [illegible] low the official rate for pa[illegible] [F]oreign silver is an absolute drug on the money market. Small money-changers who will accept it often shave it 40 percent.

AGREEMENT IS SIGNED TODAY BEFORE SMALL

Promises to Stay A[way] As Long as His Absence Seems Desirable.

DEPUTY RANDAL PARKS APPOINT[ED]

[illegible] Hour Conference [Be]tween Galligan [and] State Officials.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 5—(By A. P.)—Sheriff [illegible] Galligan of Williamson [county] today signed an agreement [in] the presence of Governor [Small] promising to stay away [from] Williamson county as l[ong as] his absence seems dee[med] one means of restoring [tran]quility there.

He appointed Deputy S[heriff] Randall Parks to take c[harge] of his office.

This move by [illegible] gan followed a [illegible] Adjutant General Black [and] Attorney General [illegible] and five supervisors of [William]son county.

The supervisors united in [ex]pressing the belief that Galli[gan]'s withdrawal will [illegible] permanent pecae.

Galligan signed the [agree]ment also including a pr[ovision] revoking all special deputy commissions extant [illegible] sued men guarding mines and property.

INMATE OF POOR FARM FOUND DEAD

Body of Frank Allen Discovered in Hart's Orchard; Inquest to Be Held Tonight.

The dead body of Frank Allen, 65 years of age, an inmate of the [County] Farm, was found early this mo[rning] in what is known as Hart's Orc[hard] near the County property.

Just how many hours the body had been there undiscovered, is not known, as he was last seen about the Farm House early yesterday morning.

When he did not show up for [sup]per last night little was thought of it as he would some[times] [illegible] night.

[illegible] attack of heart trouble or [illegible] the deceased had met with foul [play] of some sort, is not known. The [body] was brought to the undertaking [es]tablishment of Moore and [illegible] where it will be prepared for [illegible] at 6 o'clock tonight, by deputy [coroner] Settlemoir to inquire into the [illegible] Nothing is known of the man's rela[tives]

THE WEATHER

ILLINOIS—Fair tonight; [in]creasing cloudiness. [illegible]

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SPORT BRIEFS

[illegible] Standings
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—(By A. P.)—Standings of the Egyptian High School Conference basket ball teams prior to the game last night when [illegible] met Cairo and Johnston City [illegible] Carbondale are:

[illegible]

ILLINI RELAY RACES WILL ATTRACT FANS

University of Illinois Relay Carnival to Be Held Saturday February 28

[illegible], Ill. Feb. 5.—Thrilling [illegible] and exciting special events will feature the University of [illegible] relay carnival on Saturday Feb. 28, will attract many fans within a wide radius of the Illini [illegible]. They will sit in comfort [illegible] armory of the University [illegible] the fastest runners of the nation [illegible] their stuff.

[illegible] big attraction of course is the [illegible] racing. There will be eight relay [illegible] which the best teams of the Big [illegible] and Missouri Valley conferences, [illegible] leading colleges of the middle-west [illegible] the fastest high school squads [illegible] meet. On top of this there [illegible] ten special events enlisting many [illegible] athletes. The relay meet proper [illegible] at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening and is run off in fast style. The preliminaries and all-around champion [illegible] will be held in the afternoon and [illegible] admit both afternoon and [illegible]

[illegible] the stars who will appear [illegible] of Michigan, Olympic [illegible] in the broad jump, who set [illegible] indoor record for the [illegible] last year; Kinsey of Illinois [illegible] victor in the high [illegible] the 75-yard high hurdles, Evans [illegible] Illinois, holder of the world's record in the 220-yard and 300 meter [illegible] around one turn of a quarter [illegible] track; Brooker of Michigan and [illegible] of Illinois, pole vaulters [illegible] State, headed by Helffrich, [illegible] the greatest runners in the [illegible] will send a medley relay team [illegible] pick of the middle-west [illegible] Illinois band will [illegible] will be all the [illegible] varsity football game. [illegible] meet will be held at night [illegible] the afternoon the preliminary [illegible] run off and also the all-around [illegible]

[illegible]NNA, Ill., Feb. 5.—(By A. P.)—[illegible] here defeated Cairo in an [illegible] high school conference bas[illegible]

Eighteen 100 Per Cent Rooms Bank

There were eighteen 100 per cent rooms in banking on Tuesday. The following teachers had 100 per cent:

Webster: Wallace, Waller, F. Kell, House, Garland, Fitzgerrell;
Logan: McCollum, Cowgur.
Lincoln: Hayse, M. J. Carlton,
Grant: Mrs. Phillips, Dollins, Sumner.
Douglas: Armstrong, Glas[illegible]
The reports for January show a total enrollment of 2543, with a daily average attendance of [illegible]

Four Hundred Miners Idle When Witt Mine Closes

NOKOMIS, Ill., Feb. 5.—(By A. P.)—Four hundred miners were thrown out of work yesterday when the Indiana and Illinois Coal company of Chicago closed its big No. 12 mine at Witt, near here.

The mine was opened last December 30, after having been closed for several years. The quiet little community again was pitched into excitement of its former activity. But there were only eleven days of work before the closing order, made necessary it was said, because of lack of orders for coal.

Unbobed Co-Ed Wins Laurels

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—(By A. P.)—An un-bobbed co-ed was chosen the most beautiful woman student of Washington University here in a contest conducted by Student Life, the university's weekly newspaper. She is Miss Marion Hixson, a senior in the college of liberal arts. Miss Hixson is one of the four in the ten nominated as the prettiest girls who have unbobbed hair.

PLEADS GUILTY IN P. M. COURT

Roy Burleson entered a plea of guilty, in Police Magistrate Sanders court yesterday morning on a charge of drunkenness, and was fined the usual fine and costs.

Burleson was arrested on the night of Jan. 31 charged with being intoxicated [illegible] gave bond for a hearing February 7, but later entered his appearance at the court and plead guilty to the charge.

How Cheese Got Name

"Jack cheese," sometimes called Monterey cheese, originated in Monterey county, California [illegible] made about 1892. The method grew out of a need for disposing of surplus [illegible] for equipment. [illegible] It can be made on farms where only a small amount [illegible]

Independent Indi[illegible]

The Croatan Indians [illegible] North Carolina are [illegible]

Cynical French Proverb

After pleasure comes repentance; after repentance, virtue.

Colds [illegible]

ADVERTISE
Advertise at-Once
Advertise or go-broke
Advertising shows energy
Advertising shows confidence

U. S. FUEL PAYS LARGE SUMS IN PENSION FUND

Sum of $1,683,920.67 Distributed Among Company Employees Last Year.

The United States Fuel company one of the largest fuel companies doing business in the United States today, which also has in connection a number of large subsidiary companies has for a number of years followed out a very unique plan of old age pensioning among their thousands of [illegible]

Each year the amount of money paid to retired employees runs up into the millions, and it has been the custom of the officials of the company to publish its statement directly after the end of each year, an article concerning the developments of the Pension Fund for the year past. The following is the report:

The Fourteenth Annual Report of United States Steel and Carnegie Pension Fund shows that in the year 1924 the sum of $1,683,920.67 was distributed as pensions among retired employees of the United States Steel Corporation and its subsidiary companies. Carnegie Steel Company was first among the subsidiaries in the amount paid to retired employees, the sum being $405,201.40. Some of the bigger subsidiary companies [illegible] their pension disbursements [illegible] American Steel and Wire Company $297,643.68, American Sheet and Tin Plate Company, $245,145.71, National Tube Company, $169,654.44, H. C. Frick Coke Company, $130,495.44, American Bridge Company $108,244.[illegible] Illinois Steel Company, $96,339.46 [illegible] Iron Mining Company $84,[illegible]06 Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company [illegible] Bessemer and Lake Erie Railroad company [illegible] Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway [illegible] Missabe and Northern Railway Company, $9,483.55, Duluth and Iron Range Rail Road co[illegible] Union Railroad company [illegible] and Pittsburg Steamship [illegible] $12,433.40

There were 843 employees added to the pension roll during 1924 and 410 were removed by death. At the close of the year there were 4,478 on the pension roll.

The average age of the 843 employees retired in 1924 was 64.32 years their average period of service was 31.63 years, and the average pension, $41.50.

The total amount paid in pensions since the inauguration of the pension plan on January 1, 1911, was $11,[illegible]

[illegible] fund make no contributions [illegible] Fund, the income of the latter being [illegible] by Andrew Carnegie and the United States Steel Corporation. The latter provides also what ever additional moneys may be required in the administration of the pension plan.

The Pension Fund applies to all employees of the United States Steel Corporation and its subsidiary companies, numbering approximately 250,000.

The United States Fuel Company is one of the subsidiary companies of the United States Steel Corporation and had at the close of the year 19 nine former employees benefitted by [illegible] During the year 1924 two pensioners of this company were dropped from the pension roll, due to death, and two new pensioners were added during the early part of 1924. These former employees worked in the mines of the Fuel Company in the vicinity of Westville the required length of time to be placed on the pension roll. During the year 1924 these former employees received the sum of $2,758.55 in pen[illegible]

Johnston City Mine To Close Saturday

[illegible] ployment after Saturday, when [illegible] will be suspended at Old Ben mine No. 18, it was announced today. The reason given was lack of market. Orders to remove all clothing and machinery indicates a long shut down.

Bird Hunts Snakes

The fanciful resemblance of its long feathers of its crest to a quill pen thrust behind the ear suggested the [illegible] is an African, and is one of the birds of prey.

[illegible]

"A [illegible] shall I wear to it?" [illegible] asked, sighing.
"Joseph's coat of many colors is all I can think of right now." Hope answered spiteful[illegible] "Your dress is green, your slippers blue and the newest cape your cousin [illegible] a gorgeous [illegible]

[illegible] paint my old slippers" Prue [illegible]
Hope's frown checked her even before she said, "A [illegible] Chiffon won't dye except for pro[illegible] should. Besides, the cape is a real beauty—if only there's some [illegible] go with it. Think of [illegible] color net, straight [illegible]

[illegible]

"Can't see [illegible] turned, shrugging weary of hearing all that was sent [illegible] than a [illegible] your [illegible] Pure [illegible] Hope [illegible] was selfish, [illegible] much of what Hope didn't know, namely the hurt [illegible]

[illegible]

During January

[illegible] am giving below an [illegible] used to have you print in your paper as a news item," says O. E. Coyne, Superintendent of the Missouri Pacific Railway Co.

"Several new records were established again in January by the Missouri Pacific it is shown by the monthly statement issued by Pres. L. W. Baldwin of that railroad. The total number of carloads of revenue freight locally and received from connections [illegible] which exceeds the total [illegible] total of 118,[illegible] in January last year, the former record January in the history of the [illegible]

[illegible] the Allied Line by the Mi[illegible] and effi[illegible] breaking [illegible] number of [illegible] per day [illegible] per day in the [illegible] years has been [illegible] an additional [illegible] If this amount of new [illegible] be purchased at [illegible] $50,000,000

[illegible] president and whenever he [illegible]

[illegible] a Whitting[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsey and [illegible] Friday night [illegible] Miss Golda Parrish visited [illegible] Essie and Mabel Sanders Friday night [illegible] sheep industry, having bought a flock from Jefferson county. [illegible] Richard Parrish visited home folks last week. [illegible] Pupils [illegible] week ending Jan [illegible] Mary W[illegible] [illegible]

Several Physicians May Lose Right to Pr[illegible]

[illegible]

For Justice of the Peace
[illegible] announce [illegible] township, subject to the Democratic voters at the township primary when held.

For Constable
[illegible] hereby authorized to announce that [illegible] will be a candidate for Constable [illegible] Republican ticket, [illegible] will of the voters at the spring [illegible]

Change of Life
[illegible] change of life began [illegible]," says Mrs. Lewis [illegible] of Lamar, Mo. "I [illegible] suffered a great [illegible] pain in my back [illegible] I feel like doing my [illegible]
CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic
to me and I began using it.
[illegible] critical time, which [illegible] Change of Life. [illegible] time, great changes take place in her system [illegible] various painful an[illegible] If you are approaching [illegible] suffering from any of its troubles or symptoms, take Cardui. It should help you, as it has [illegible]

The most remarkable tobacco ever offered to pipe smokers — in quality, in value, in taste
Granger Rough Cut

I will not be responsible for any ...s, only those contracted by my...—D. W. WILKE

... y brought ... r gifts for the Hudelson Home will please bring them Friday a... noon to the Baptist Missionary ... ing.

The regular meeting of the Clerks Union will be held Thursday evening.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon in the church. Important business.

Cottage cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Wardlaw Dairy, phone ...

Everett Moore of West End had his tonsils removed in Dr. Johnson's ... pital this morning.

CAR WASHIN...
Satisfaction ... for and deliver...

... Co... is recover... ...in a Herrin mine last ...

Big Clean Sweep Sale now on. Come —Bass Fashion Shop.

Charles Jackson who is attending school in Evanston is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson.

Men and Women, to secure Members—$3 to $20 a day. Write Illinois Protective Ass'n., Springfield, Ill. *130

CAR WASHIN...
...isfaction guaranteed. Cars calle... for and delivered.—Jennings-Barnfield, at Hickman-Etherton Garage, Call 620.

Misses Ellen and Margaret Love ...

...ay, $16 pe... ...on at Webb's Hill, McLeansboro state road 1 1-2 miles from us, good dirt road balance way.—A. M. Webb & Son. 4*6

Big Clean Sweep Sale now on. Come ...

Ray Kell of the University of Illinois is spending a week between semesters with his parents, Mr. and Mr. E. T. Kell.

Good business for sale, paying fr... $200 to $300 per month. For particulars phone 763W Benton, Ill. ... 20*2

Seventeen File For Citizenship

Seventeen Petitions for naturalization were filed in Circuit Court yesterday. They will come up for final hearing at the regular Ma... term of Circuit Court.

This'll Bring 'Em

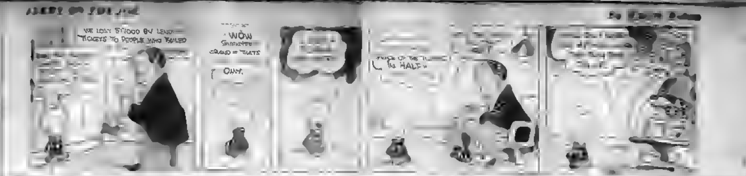
The only really reliable way to locate one's distant relatives in a hurry ... queer will and die.—

Tells How to End Night Coughing

To quickly stop hacking, irritating coughing at night, a very s... ple treatment may be had th... often enables you to sleep the wh...

...spoonful at night before ... and hold it in your throat for ... or 20 seconds before swallowing it without following with water. ...prescription has a double action. ...t not only soothes and relieves ir... ... the phlegm ...hich are the direct ... dry and ...

DR. KING'S ... COUGHS



REGAL EFFECT OBTAINED BY SIMPLE USE OF CREPE DE CHINE AND BEADS

THERE is nothing lovelier to look upon than a lovely woman in a lovely evening gown. And if her manner is as lovely as her looks and accessories the picture she presents is utterly charming and memorable—a Princess Charming.

And that's what Frances Howard is in the Paramount production of "The Swan." And being a princess requires quite a wardrobe. You'd be surprised. Even the smallest kind of a princess in the smallest kind of a romantic kingdom. But Miss Howard selected ... royal wardrobe with taste and discretion ... wore it like a queen. The ... her in a ... is crepe de chine, trimmed in white ... the rest of the dress in the same beads. Three strands of pearls circle her swan-like throat. The cloak was ermine, trimmed in white fox.

Two other headdresses selected by Miss Howard are sketched above. The one at the left is ... cut in cloth of gold. A ... and the gold ... his very ef... ...stants ... a plain head band of the ... ...lly across the back of the neck and then over the top of the head just a trifle to the rear. This really a charming youthful headdress, and could be copied successfully by anyone. The use of flat velvet flowers for the headband for hat trimmings and for dresses is ...

WIDOWED SQUAW TORTURES SELF AT GRAVE OF CHIEF

Stands in Ankle Deep Snow and Slashes Her Uncovered Limbs With Jagged Piece Glass

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—(By A. P.)—The spe... of an aged squaw ... jagged piece of ... by Superintendent Will... ner of the Fort Hal... In... Idaho, in a letter to Indian Commissioner Burke. Donner pictured scenes at the recent burial there of Chief Pat Tybee, a factional leader of the Bannock tribe.

Tybee, more than 80 years old, and six feet four inches ... distinction as a United ... in the Nez Perce w...

The 63-year-old widow, a spare ... Ahlahgeeyance, or "The Bony One," stood for three hours at the grave, ... hacked herself with the glass. ... this, Superintendent Donner w... she perhaps went to extremes.

"But this," he continued, ... very old custom ... ong these people, and she, being a very old lady, it would have been useless to have tried to interfere with her belief and convictions. I want to say, however that the custom is not extensively ...

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

BUCKNER

By RUTH BROOKS

Mrs. Edith Adams and son, Build... Mrs. Bert Williams were in Christo... ... brother, R. E. Breeze of Zeigler, w... to Irvington, yesterday morning to ...tend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. William Baldridge.

Mrs. Ruth Russell is off duty as truant officer on account of sickness.

Mrs. Mike Rollo went to St. L... Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Henry Harris of Benton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Adams Tuesday evening.

W. R. Dudley has returned home ...

Nick Pellegrino returned to his home in St. Louis yesterday after visiting Joe Pinamonti yesterday after...

Mrs. Ruth Breeze was the guest of ...

"I remember attending funerals on this reservation twenty years ago when as many as 15 or 20 women would practice this custom at the death of a noted member of the family. The custom is gradually dying out and will be discontinued in the course of ... interference on the part of this ...

... the last word, ... something like this "All right; buy the darned thing."—Duluth Her...

WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL SOCIAL PARTY

... pastime and their know... history ... Mrs. F... Dunn, del... ...o with M... Walter accom...

... complimented on the success of the aft...

MOOSE WILL ORGANIZE NEW BALL CLUB

... been enjoyed practicall... base ball. A ... sporting bloc... has set them to thinking ... base ball.

Last year the Moose ... Benton lodge figured very prominently in Southern Illinois base ball, and it is the intention of the lodge members to have even a stronger team ... activities, a meeting ... for Sunday morning ... the Moose club rooms ... arrangements for the ... a base ball club wi...

ILLINOIS NEWS NOTES

(By Associated Press)

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MURPHYSBORO — The ... paving state high... Murphys... ...na Carbondale ...

Grand Tower, Campbell Hill ... Ava ... February ...

...ducted here February 20 ... ...nd eight ...

... annual Lincoln ... under auspices of ... Association. The ...

... miles from here, has closed down ...

MOUND CITY—For the ... n thirty years, State's At... L. Merchant announced, there ... a prisoner in the Pulaski county ...

HARRISBURG — Knocked down ... ...ver b... Konner 61 ...

Mrs. L. L. Jones of Zeigler Ends Her Own Life

Louis ... he hopes that relief might be found ... Yesterday morning it was ...ated ... f the family told Mr ... come to town in the ... and get her a new coat. It seems she ... a dislike for further hospital treatment and for this reason, the family feeling confident that additional ... was necessary, did not deem it advisable to inform her of their ...

She wanted to know. it was ... ed ... wanted to buy her a ... sented to come up ... ...king the purchase ... clock yesterday after... ... her husband's place of business, and ... ...ack to the rear of the room ... office near a des... which was laying ...

... the gun, Mr. Jones looked up and ... wife ... ...ever, he rushed ... ...thored her ... in his arms where she ... a few ... ments later.

Fu... ...il take place to-... ... place at West Frankfort. She was the mother of two chil... store and a small daughter, Miss ... Before her marriage, she was Miss ... a friendship ripened into ... end of the school ... of Campbell Hill and Miss Lora ... son of Harrisb...

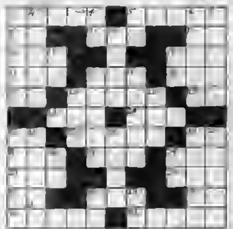
Mrs. Jones was a member of the Baptist church, also a member of the ...eighbors and Rebekah orders.

The Jones family is quite well known throughout the county, for a ... number of years they made their ... West Frankfort, where Mr. Jones ...

About seven years ago, they moved to Zeigler, where Mr. Jones engaged in the Hardware and Furniture business. It was since moving to Zeigler that Mrs. Jones' health broke and finally resulted in her tragic death.

Besides the many relatives th... are hundreds of friends who are grieved at the sad news of her death.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 41



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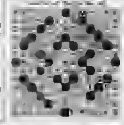

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And saving money is like ... snowball ... this; ... the bigger the results ... safely invested. ... $1,000 by the time he is thirty, that sum, IF LEFT INVESTED, will grow to considerably more than $5,000 by the time he is sixty-five.

If you are interested in fig... money, we will be glad to calculate ... save and we will tell you the approximate result in ten, twenty or forty years from ...

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Benton, Illinois
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CLINIC HOURS ...

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FOR RENT—bed room modern, $12 per month. Call 496W. 304tf

FOR RENT—5-room house at 1301 North Main. Apply 305 N. Commercial. 6tf

FOR RENT—Brick building, suitable for retail store in West City Telephone 354.

FOR RENT—modern room. Phone 132W 28tf

FOR RENT—room furnished or unfurnished at reasonable price. 100 N DuQuoin St., on pavement.

FOR RENT Furnished 5 room bungalow, with basement, piano included. Meadows, North Maple. 27t3

FOR RENT — room house in good location. 307 ... 8th St. 27t3

FOR RENT One acre with four room house, with basement, hen house, barn. East Main on Hard road Schneiderwin.

WANTED

WANTED—Office partner to occupy desk room in furnished office Inquire Geo. A. Powers at First National Bank. 276tf

Salesladies EVERYWHERE to sell Pic-Wic house frocks direct to wearer, no investment; easily earn $35 weekly, all or part time. Write today Pickwick Mfg. Co., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Tie makers at camp on I. C. cut-off, apply Draege Lumber Co., at No. 3 Camp near Macedonia or to Mr. Wyatt, 801 Smith St., Benton, between 6 and 7 o'clock any evening

AGENTS WANTED — Tailoring agents, specialty salesmen, mechanics, ... in every locality to ... for men's all wool suits direct from factory to wearer. Real $40 values at $23.75 are easy to ...; $60 to $90 a week, commission in advance; no delivering or collecting. Powerful sample outfit free by return mail.—Longworth & Sons, Dept. 666, 1301 11 W Congress St., Chicago

WOMEN—Earn big money making Bungalo Aprons at home during spare time. Enclose ... particulars. Rosemary ... Asbury Park.

WANTED A ... 324tR

... ed for factory representative to handle our business in Benton district, unusual opportunity, with fortune for right man; experience or capital unnecessary; write fully Cynero Motors Co. Battle Creek, Mich.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Store ... house. Enoch Stanovich, 606 N ... vesant St.

FOR SALE—Red T... per bushel at Ewing M...

... about 5th and 6th of Feb., at 80c per bushel. Pearce Brothers, Ewing, Ill. 26t3

... Good cow, fresh in ... small amount

... OR TRADE—5 room house for land on hard road, good garage and barn, good water. Bargain if sold at once. N. McLeansboro, close to Grant School. R...

... sold as new. ... Herbert Summers

... OR RENT 7-room house at 802 N. Madison. Inquire 408 Buchanan. 27t6

FOR SALE Nearly new Underwood Typewriter Albert Sanders. ...

FOR ... ALE Large Boston Fern Call 46-K

FOR SALE OR TRADE Player ... Will accept Victrola in exchange 716E. Beatrice St

FOR SALE one 3-burner oil stove $1.00, One 3-burner oil stove $3.00 One Lloyd baby buggy $15

FOUND

FOUND—money in my store owner may have same by describing and paying for this notice. L. L. Trombly

LOST—Gold rimmed glasses near ... Clair Oil Station. Return to W. H. Cottrum barber shop

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Musicians, Singers and Entertainers

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... Academy ... Scheduled for February 20-21

... the state of Illinois ... terious to the popular mind, confuted up by thick-spectacled college professors, to a vital and moving force in the everyday life of the common people ... of the Illinois Academy of ... cheduled for February 20 and 21, made public here today

Although some of the subjects to be discussed are technical and probably understandable only to persons versed in some particular branch of learning, many of the papers and addresses will be of such a nature that they may readily be understood and the points contained in them applied to daily commercial, industrial, agricultural and educational practice.

The general meeting of the academy will be held at the state centennial building, while sectional conferences are scheduled for the Spring... high school building.

The increasing importance which women are assuming in scientific affairs not related to the household is evidenced by the fact that four women are on the program. Mary K Steagall, ... will discuss "Earthworms—their Relation ... Soil Activity." Ethel M Terry ... the University of Chicago, will present a paper on "Tartaric Acid From Coal Tar." Esther W U... zig of the University of Illinois will talk on "Will the Illinois Waterway Benefit Illinois Coal" and Anna Pe... kowsk., phychologist at the Lincoln State school and colony will outline A Plan for Extra Institutional Care of Feebleminded Girls."

In range of interest this year's program outshines that of any previous session of the academy. It extends from "Interesting Results from Bird-... by Frank Smith of the U. of I. to "Relative Value of Different Types of questions in Reading Tests" by Joseph V Hanna of the Joliet Township high school

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Victoria Mare Grivaz to Frank Picoda, warranty deed, consideration ... lots 21 22 block 8, original Lindsay (now Buckner).

... Carter and wife to Marsh ... warranty deed, consideration ... 2 block 5, original plat of W...

... Satoris to Andrew Ascharis, warranty deed, consideration $500, lot 7 sub-division part SE SW 21-7-2

Dwight Browning to Ira Lance, warranty deed consideration $1800, lot 7 block 19, 5th addition to Valier.

Henry Washbrumberger and wife to L. R. Carter, warranty deed, consideration $2500, lot 28 block 3, ... fone McCollum's 3d addition to W... Frankfort

Luster B... Hindman, warranty deed, $2300, S... lot 10 block 3, Wastier's 8th addition to West Frankfort.

Bell & Zoller Mining Co. to Arthur Cox, warranty deed, $900, lot 8 block 3, Zeigler Coal Co. 6th addition to Zeigler

James Eldridge and wife to Dorina Ditzkus, warranty deed, consideration $3500, NE NE NW

Conrad Ritter to Tony Ferro, warranty deed, consideration $1, lot 7 ... 5, L. C. Dorris' 1st addition to West Frankfort

H. L. Webb and wife to Kate B Hill, quit claim deed, consid... SE and NW SE S...

H. Anderson and wife to West Frankfort Building and Loan Association, warranty deed, consideration $1, part NW NW 29-7

West Frankfort Building and Loan Association to J. Will Howell warranty deed, consideration $1, part NW NW 29-7-3

C. L. Hicks and wife to Lester Goss, warranty deed, consideration $2000, lot 5 block 26, Horn, Dimond and Parkhill's 1st addition to West Frankfort

M. E. Ladies to Sell Candy on Saturday

The Willing Workers of the M. E. Church will sell candy at the Capitol ... turday night. If you can ... any, call or see Miss Birdie ... and Mrs. Mildred Odum, and they will be glad to help you. Each member of the class is kindly asked to bring candy. Have it at the Capitol by 6 15 p. m.

NAZIMOVA SILLS CO-STAR IN NEW SCREEN TRIUMPH

Noted Russian Actress, Back in Pictures, Scores in "Madonna of the Streets."

Nazimova, the famous Russian actress, who made her first appearance ... America several years ago and was immediately accepted as one of the world's great emotional actresses, has returned to the screen after an absence of two years which she spent in vaudeville. The picture is "Madonna of the Streets," produced by Edwin Carewe and presented by First National Pictures, which opened at the Capitol theatre this afternoon for a two days' showing.

Nazimova and Milton Sills, ever to be remembered for his work in "The Sea Hawk," have the two leading roles in "Madonna of the Streets," which is an adaption of W. B. Maxwell's novel, "The Ragged Messenger." Sills plays the role of an Englishman who, in order to atone for an evil he has done, founds a mission for unfortunate women in the heart of Limehouse, London's picturesque underworld

"Madonna of the Streets" pulses with all the glamour of life as it exists today in what is probably the most notorious of all underworlds.

The story is of Mary Carlson and John Morton and of their life in Limehouse.

It is the story of a woman who sets out to collect a debt that is due her and who finds her true soul instead; of one who finds salvation where revenge was sought. And it is the story of Morton, forced to resign from a great London Settlement house because of his bitter criticism of his rich patrons for their oppression against the poor, who then goes among the unfortunate people spreading happiness with the aid of his suddenly inherited fortune.

Interwoven into the story are the characters of Lord Patrington, who is chiefly responsible for Morton's dismissal from the cathedral, the part being played to perfection by Claude Gillingwater, Lady Sarah, Patrington's daughter, played by Vivien Oakland, who aids Morton; Dr Colbeck, played by Courtenay Foote, an English "highbrow," who after juggling a crazy monocle about for some time learns at last that Morton is not as bad as had at first been thought; Matron Elyard, played by Rosa Gore, a very snippy housekeeper, and Howard Bowman played by Harold Goodwin, one of Morton's salvages, who falls in love with Mary Carlson after she had become the wife of Morton and by doing so brings the story to a dramatic ...

Several Current Changes Made By Baptist Ministers

DU QUOIN, Ill., Feb. 4.—(By A. P.)—Several current changes of Baptist ministers throughout the state are announced by Dr. A. E. Peterson, general superintendent of the Illinois Baptist Convention. They follow:

Rev. J. W Merrill of Champaign has resigned as superintendent for the Eastern district to accept the pastorate of the Elliott Avenue Church at Springfield

These assignments have been made of district superintendents Northern district, Rev. E. A. Gilmore, DeKalb; Central district, Rev. D. O. Hopkin ...; ...al, Southern district, Rev. N. J. Hilton, Alton, Southern Association, Rev. T. O. McMinn, Carbondale

Rev W. E. Anderson resigned at Assumption to accept a call to Dev...

Rev J. E. Howard resigned at Fairbury to accept the pastorate of a church at Douglas, Ar...

Rev. F. E. Mundy of Tiskilwa, has ...

The Galesburg church has extended a call to Rev. M. Carmen of Grinnell, Iowa

CAMPHOR SOOTHES EYE PAIN

For eye pains there is nothing better than simple camphor, witchhazel, ... eye wash. The first application does wonders and one bottle of Lavoptik helps any case weak, strained or sore eyes. ... Sale Square.

Please don't tell the carrier boy to come back some other time, ... calls on Saturday morning to collect for the paper. They must ... Saturday, and to do so, must collect from ...

... Aunt... Its ...

"LUCKY for you Maron sent you ... in at the Brittons—the right ... you. Big house, good cook, ... Jubal! Juba!" Juba-a-a! ...

And at the climax of "Jubilee" ... ing a note higher than the ... and ... tub circle, poised ... balancing itself ... white ... flung arms.

Binky's iron-gray beard appeared to bristle. Ware made to draw ... away. ... Strolling ... in ... length of the dancer he boomed "Marusha! Go put on your clothes and ...

for the unseeing party to ... interrupt from the dancer ... Ch go fetch her ... how you're disgracing the family!" Binky shouted, giving the ... dearest him a ...

... pented battery. Jenny had fetched with a fist that knew ... well it brought gushing blood ... upon his nose. Warn... refuge in a ... ing out, caught Binky ... to drag him away. Seeing ... Jerry turned ...

... and said, nodding at Binky ... I had a blessing ... but ... and warning—if ever you laid a finger ...

into Ware's hands.

... come and see what your ... has done

Out upon the back piazza ... clump ... white-haired ... sleep from hazel ...

"I'm sure (has mortified at ...) tandem," said Ware. "Better ...

"I understand," ... he said ... "You wouldn't ... You've got a look of the ... knew them well"

My name is ... you know my ...

beamed. He was answered ... smile so encouraging that very shortly he asked an abiding place for the month he was to stay in Brush Creek ...

... boarders we never take," said ... "but ... only kin to the Ea... cotts is going ... elsewhere in this ... of the woods."

... haven't said so," ... from Jerry, trace in the ... of ... pink rose at her throat ... another her hair. Ware could not believe his eyes—she was a dream ... took away alike his heart and his breath. ... but luckily not his ...

"But you will ... please!" he entreated ... good—do exactly as Pa ...

... from the very first Ware and Jerry ... for her grandchild ... she shielded nobly his siege of that quicksilver young person, with always a wary eye Binky-ward—... with Maron ... sensed wh... of revenge he was planning

... she slipped beside ... joined ... beau's with ... a ... "... and come to me again" ... any knew men by heart ... elder ... head. Inordinately ...

... role as front of wisdom ... a man ... tied ... see hanging upon his words, urging his suggestions, ready to pledge ... he asked. He told and ... the secrets of ... the words of success.

... Ware's reports so ... decided to see ... paradise with ...

... of course—and by happy chance found ... just beside the Britton gate. ... something ...

... then Maron said gruffly ... how you teach sell bus... ... from Ware, ... "this is the way I practise

Today's Radio Program

WEEI, Boston—6 trio; 7 WEAF program.

WGR, Buffalo—6 music.

... ensemble, quintet, 8 baritone speak... ... orchestra, Neil and Ches.

... 8.30 pr... KYW, Chicago ...

WLW, Cincinnati—6 concert, 10 30 Bohemian entertain... tra, Chinese fiddle

WEAR, Cleveland—6 concert ... Dallas News ... banjo quintet 8.30 ent... 11 artist

WOC, Davenport— ... orchestra; 11 ...

WWJ, Detroit News—6 News ... soprano, tenor 9 dance ... Hollywood—8 talk, 8:30 instrumental, vocal 12 orchestra

WDAF, Kansas City Star—6 school of the air, address story, ensemble, 8 program, 11 45 Nighthawk frolic

KHJ, Los Angeles Times—8 concert orchestra, 8 30 children, 9.30 talk 10 features, movie stars. 11 30 ... oist, 12 orchestra

WHN, New York—8:30 dance; 9 vaudeville, 10 orchestra; 11 Ted Lewis.

KDKA, Pittsburg—7 program, 9:30 concert 10 concert.

WCAE, Pittsburg—6 30 Uncle Kay-bee, 8.35 special, 7:30 concert.

WOAI, San Antonio—9 30 orchestra

KPO, San Francisco ... orchestra, ... symphonists, 10 organ, 11 program, 12 band

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Bologna per pound	16c	...	10c
Layer Cakes 9 ounce	25c	Stewing Figs, lb.	13c
Bread Country Club	10c	Rice, Blue Rose Head, lb	9c
Cheese, cream per pound	33c	Kraut, Avondale, can.	14c
Spaghetti, bulk, 2 pounds	21c	Avondale Hominy, can.	11c
Rolled Oats	35c	...	8c

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FRANKLIN COUNTY'S HOME DAILY — BENTON, ILLINOIS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1925

HARRISBURG MEETS BENTON FIVE TONIGHT

Second Game With the Saline County Boys Expected to Be Best Of Season.

Following a week of hard training, coach Tabor of the Benton Township High school feels that he has his boys in the pink of condition for tonights game

To-night the local boys will meet the strong Harrisburg team for the second time this season. The first game was played at Harrisburg and resulted in a victory for the Benton five with a score of 27 to 13

Since that time, however, the Harrisburg bunch have shown some great improvement, and were only beaten by Carbondale, one of the strongest teams in the country, by a small margin, in an overtime game

Coach Tabor's line-up for to-night will be about the same as it was at the last game. Although the boys feel there are in as good shape as they have been this season, they are not over confident, and expect to put forth the best they have in the game

There will be a preliminary game take place about 7 o'clock between the eighth grade team and the second high school team. The eighth grade boys have been showing some real pep this season and will no doubt give the high school youngsters a run for their money

Players will be called to the floor for the Harrisburg-Benton game at 8 o'clock.

SPORTSMEN OF EGYPT TO MEET HERE MARCH 2-3

Organization Preparing For Gigantic Wild Life Conservation Convention.

Sportsmen of Southern Illinois are formulating plans to hold not only the largest convention of hunters, farmers and fishermen ever held in the state on March 2 and 3, at Benton, but one that will be recorded in the history of conservation work as the most constructive held heretofore in the United States

Speakers of National renown in wild life conservation work, including the Rev. Nola J. Allen, of Virginia, who will address both the convention in session, and that of a public meeting to be held in the interest of the public, on the inevitable necessity of preserving the wild life of the nation that its people be preserved.

The feasibility of the passage of the proposed Federal bill, to tax even a farmer boy to go down and shoot a duck or a snipe on the creek back in [illegible] woodland will come up for discus[illegible] positive, as some of the best legal minds of the south end of the state, are taking negative as well as affirmative opinions, as to the far reaching possibilities, that might usurp the sovereignty of the people in the state.

One of the most far reaching and constructive resolutions that will be offered, will ask for legislation to require a certain percent of all funds accumulative from the sale of hunting and fishing license to be used by the department of game and fish, each year for the express purpose of buying and reclaiming waste and morass land to be developed and made into wild life sanctuaries, and natural state fish hatcheries

This is to be handled by a commission composed of sportsmen delegated and in conjunction with state officials, approved by the legislatures, and is to be of public concern and interest.

Sylvester Guard [illegible] of Mrs. V. E. Haggard of this city. [illegible]

Herrin Klan Wants Galligan To Resign Office

Meeting of "Conservative Party" Held Last Night Not Pleased With Sheriff's Plan.

HERRIN, Ill., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—The unconditional resignation of Sheriff George Galligan was demanded at a meeting of the "Conservative party espoused by the Ku Klux Klan at the First Baptist church last night

A motion offered by John Ford, former chief of police carried that the party go on record as being opposed to any agreement entered into between the Williamson county board of supervisors and Sheriff Galligan except the latter's unconditional resignation.

The agreement reached in Springfield yesterday is to come before the board of supervisors at Marion tomorrow Randall Parks, who would become acting Sheriff under the agreement, said today Adjutant General Black and Attorney General Carlstrom would come to Marion to urge the ratification by the board. The board last Monday rejected a similar agreement

MARION, Ill., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—With officers of the county pledged to co-operate in a new attempt to pacify Williamson County, interest has now turned to the many indictments returned during the factional strife and the action of Arlie Boswell, new states' attorney, in regard to them. Williamson County faces one of the most peculiar situations ever seen [illegible] Southern Illinois. No less than [illegible] of the presiding county officers and several former officials are nam[illegible]

Tennyson Case is Being Tried in Circuit Court

Gilbert Tennyson, arrested with Dyer Hannis, November 23, charged with robbery, is on trial in circuit court today. States Attorney Roy Martin is representing the people while Tennyson has as his attorneys G. A. Hickman and G. C. Coffey. The case is not expected to go to the jury until late this evening or some time tomor[illegible]

Tennyson and Hannis were arrested by deputy sheriff Ernest Elkins of Valier on the afternoon of Nov 23, [illegible] heated chase across Tyrone township. The fugitives were finally caught near Little Muddy river

The men are accused of holding up and robbing Kelley McDonald on the public highway between Valier and Sesser

Tennyson, who is now being tried, has set up as his defense the fact that he was forced by Hannis to take part in the holdup.

According to his story, he was employed by Hannis to drive him to Sesser, about half way between the two places, Tennyson states they met McDonald, and that Hannis ordered the car stopped, and held up McDonald. He then made Tennyson go through his pockets, and get his money.

Hannis will be tried later

Favors Public Subscription For Mrs. Glenn Young

BELLEVILLE, Ill., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. Maude Young, blind widow of S. Glenn Young, slain Ku Klux Klan liquor raider, was here Wednesday to consult an eye specialist.

Mrs. Young, whose scheduled lectures at Harrisburg and Carbondale have been cancelled by city authorities for fear they might cause undue excitement, made the trip from Herrin to Belleville in the sedan in which she and her husband were riding near Okawville last May 23 when she suffered the wounds depriving her of her sight.

A Carbondale official said if Mrs. Young needed money for an operation on her eyes, he favored a subscription list as a means of raising funds rather than her appearance in public.

WILSON GETS ONE TO 10 YEARS FOR LARCENY

Convicted Man Has Done Two Previous Terms in State Penitentiary.

Alex Wilson, who was arrested Jan. 10th, charged with larceny, was given a hearing in Circuit court yesterday. The case was completed and given to the jury late yesterday afternoon. After deliberating the greater part of the night the jury returned a verdict this morning finding Wilson guilty of the charge of larceny and sentenced him to serve a term of not less than one or more than ten years in the State penitentiary at Menard.

[illegible]'s store on East Webster street, in which a quantity of merchandise was taken out of the [illegible] and hauled out of town

The trip to Menard, will be no new experience for Wilson it was stated, as he has been there on two different occasions before.

The records show that Wilson was convicted on a charge of grand larceny from the courts of Perry county, and given a term at Menard. After [illegible] later convicted of operating a [illegible] game in Randolph county, and was sentenced to do a second term

SEVERAL CASES DISPOSED OF IN CIRCUIT COURT

Divorce Cases Hold Attention of Court, Ten Decrees Being Granted

Circuit Court, with Judge J. C. Eagleton on the bench, is progressing with ease and several cases have been disposed of.

Divorces granted follow:

Lee Roy Black vs. Mary Black, decree granted on charge of cruelty. Plaintiff was represented by L. B. Howell of Zeigler.

Margaret Gilbert vs R. V. Gilbert. R. E. Smith was attorney for plaintiff and Everett Lewis for defendant.

George Vukich vs. Caroline Vukich. R. E. Hickman attorney for plaintiff

Maud Duvall vs. Lonzo Duvall. [illegible]

[illegible] vs. Alois Kreachan. T. G. Lewis, attorney for plaintiff.

Nellie Williams vs. Elmer Williams. S. M. Ward, attorney for [illegible]

James Riddle vs. Joan Sutherland Riddle. W P Seeber, attorney for [illegible]

[illegible] Shirley vs. Earl Shirley. Nealy I. Glenn, attorney for [illegible]

Della Bentfro vs. Paul Bentfro. Plaintiff awarded alimony and custody of child. Hart & Hart plaintiff's attorneys.

[illegible] VanNoy vs. Clyde VonNoy, Plaintiff given right to assume her maiden name. S. M. Ward, attorney for plaintiff.

Man Killed When Landlord Turns Off Gas in His Absence

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—Turning off the gas at 8 p. m [illegible] on again at 6 a. m. [illegible] the part of Lee Robinson, rooming house proprietor. One of his roomers, Bert Roberts, 25, was asphyxiated the first night the plan was tried. He was absent when the gas was turned off and was asleep when it was turned on. Robinson was [illegible]

PLEAD GUILTY TO HOLDUP; GET PRISON TERM

[illegible] Years For Edwards Robbery.

Thomas Williams and Frank Corbett who were up for a hearing in the circuit court this morning, charged with assault and robbery, each entered a plea of guilty, and were given a sentence of from three to twenty years at the state Penitentiary at Menard.

They were charged with assaulting and robbing Henry Edwards of West Frankfort on the night of December 3, 1924. Mr. Edwards asserted that besides receiving several painful injuries, the boys took $69.00 from him

In passing sentence Judge Eagleton gave the boys a lecture they will no doubt long remember, and admonished them that in the future after they were released from the prison, they would still have a chance, and should strive to become useful men.

DEATH CLAIMS HERBERT ANDERSON OF FRANKFORT

Son of U. S. Anderson Dies This Morning After Illness of Long Duration

Herbert Anderson, son of U. S. Anderson, West Frankfort alderman, died this morning in the Union Hospital at that place, after an illness extending over a period of more than three years

About three years ago Herbert became afflicted with, what later developed to be tuberculosis. He was taken to the [illegible] where he underwent an operation, which at the time was thought to have cleared away the trouble. Recovering from the first operation, he showed some marked improvement for a time, but soon became again afflicted with the dreaded disease

He again entered the hospital, and underwent another operation. For the past fifteen months Herbert has been in the hospital continually, during which time he has undergone nine operations, one of which was the amputation of one of his legs, in an effort to check the spread of the di[illegible]

All through the long years of suffering, and even at times when hope seemed almost gone, he held on bravely, always seeing the bright side of everything, and expressing the hopes that things would take a turn for the better soon.

So cheerful was his attitude, at all times even in spite of his awful suffering, the doctors and nurses at the [illegible] looked upon him with wonder and would point him out to persons [illegible]

We Beg Your Pardon, They're All White Folks

In yesterday's issue of the Evening News appeared an article regarding the Valentine party given at the country club Wednesday afternoon, by the ladies of the woman's club, an error appeared in the article in speak[illegible] dames was used, in place of "Colonial" dames.

Much credit is due Mrs. Joe Mitchell who is chairman of the entertainment committee. It was largely through her untiring efforts that the [illegible] made one of success and [illegible]

We are indeed sorry the error appeared in our columns, which measure partly destroyed the beauty of the article.

EIGHT PAVING CONTRACTS LET

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—Eight paving contracts, two grading contracts and four bridge contracts were awarded by the state department of public works. The bridge contracts together with route sections and counties affected and the contractors and prices include Route 15 section 14-B Jefferson County, H. Cawood of Mt. Vernon, $97,090.76.

General Belief Is Cave Man Has Succumbed

WOMEN ARE NEEDED FOR JURY SERVICE

Criminal Cases Need Their Attention Says Lawyer in Chicago Address Today.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—A woman's viewpoint is needed in connection with jury service, particularly upon juries sitting in the criminal courts, asserted Esther A. Dunshee of a prominent Chicago law firm, in addressing today the Forum conducted by the Illinois League of Women Voters

"Jury service is a civic duty and women are especially needed in cases in the criminal courts involving crimes against women," Miss Dunshee said. "Women jurors have been a success in nearly half the states of the union and there is no question but what they can be properly cared for

"There also is a need for additional qualified jurors. A law providing for the calling of women for jury service will be constitutional and we propose to renew our attempts for the passage of such a bill at the present session of the legis[illegible]

Miss Dunshee announced she would attempt specifically to answer some of the objections which have been raised by opponents of the measure, [illegible] ability that under the Illinois [illegible] as it now stands, women are liable to jury service, but it would require an opinion of the Supre[me Court to] clear up the point. The Chicago League of Women Voters Forum will undertake a test case to have [the] law defined.

At the last session the Illinois legislature came so near to passing a women jury bill that the outlook should be very encouraging for it in this session. It is fair to judge that full electorial enfranchisement should carry with it liability to do jury service. In this state a woman may now sue or be sued, her case may be presided over by a woman judge, she may be defended or prosecuted by a woman lawyer, but she cannot yet have women jurors to pass upon the merits of her case.

Woman Looks At Sun, Predicts End Of World Tonight

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—A small group of disciples, pinning their faith to a woman whose head they said is crowned with a halo of divine prophecy, today looked at the sun and said

"The end of the world is at hand

Mrs. Margaret Rowen of Hollywood, has told her followers that before midnight tonight the second coming of Christ will have become a fact

Faith is the keynote of the [illegible]

Mrs. Rowen and her followers, who call themselves the Reformed Adventists Church, have been repudiated by leaders of the Seventh Day Adventists Church here and in the east

HAROLD GRANGE VICTIM OF MUMPS

RICHMOND, Mich., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—Harold "Red" Grange has the mumps. The great Illinois football star succumbed to the chi[ldhood] ailment here yesterday, where he was to have been the speaker at a high school football banquet, and under orders of a physician, went to bed.

Workers Making New Entrance in Attempt To Reach Entombed Explorer.

[CAVE] CITY, Ky., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—All hope of reaching him thru [illegible] lawn sappers today were making a new entrance to Sand Cave in an attempt to reach Floyd Collins, entombed since last Friday morning.

A long day of digging was ahead of them and whether Collins was dead or alive was not definitely known since a cave-in Wednesday night blocked the passage in which he has been lying

The general belief was that he had succumbed by being crushed to death, by suffocation or by pneumonia, [any] one of which would end his long fight for life

Early today, however, radio was resorted to in the hope the cave would [illegible] frequency amplifier was connected to the light circuit leading into the [illegible] and known to be intact. The lights [illegible] off and with head sets clamped to their ears the experimenters listened for any sound.

After the test the men said they had heard distinct sounds believed by them to have been caused by the jarring of the carbon filament in the electric light bulbs fastened around Collins' neck. It was commented that if alive Collins had probably moved when the lights went out thus shaking the filament. On the other hand [illegible] pointed out that other noises might have caused the sound heard

The work on the new shaft was begun yesterday and early today a hole ten feet deep had been made.

Fleischmann "Yeast King," Dies At Miami, Fla.

[illegible] yeast king millionaire and sportsman, dismounted from his pony and fell forward on his face, dying [on] the Flamingo polo field at Miami Beach yesterday afternoon while playing in the fourth chukker of [a] game between the Pastimers, of which team he was a member, and the [illegible].

Friends, who were playing with Mr. Fleischmann, noticed that [he] suddenly became [illegible]. Bringing [his] pony to a halt, he dismounted and immediately threw his hands and fell forward on his [face].

The other players rushed to his assistance and physicians were called but it was said Mr. Fleischmann [had] died before they [arri]ved

Fearing End of World, M[an] Shoots Wife, Kills Self

MONROE, Mich., Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—Expressing fear that the world would end some time today and that his property, valued at about $25,000, amassed during [year]s of economy, would become [illegible], Karl Denzeisen, 49, a farmer [several] miles from here, shot and seriously wounded his wife at their home today and then took his own. His wife [Mrs.] Denzeisne had been terror stricken [by] the prediction that the world was to end today.

Belleville Officers Fear Hold-up of Police Station

BELLEVILLE, Feb. 6.—(By A. P.)—Fearing possible holdup of the police [station] Mayor and Chief of Police [illegible] are arranging for [illegible] for the money deposited in the station safe nightly for safekeeping by theatres and other business concerns. At times the amount on hand has been as much [as] $6,000 and responsibility has been uncomfortable.

Irving [illegible] moved onto one of J. A. [illegible]

BOY SCOUTS TO BANQUET AT FRANKFORT

[illegible] Feed One Thousand Boys at Meeting Tomorrow

WEST FRANKFORT, Ill., Feb. [6.] Forty-eight of the local Churches under the leadership of Mrs. R. E. Walston, are completing preparations to feed the 1000 [illegible] Boy Scouts of the Coal Belt Council who will meet here next Saturday.

The occasion will be the first annual Camp Reunion, and all the Scouts in the nine towns in the Council, will be in attendance. In many cases they will be accompanied by friends and also their fathers.

The problem of feeding the enormous number of boys who will be at the banquet which will be held in the Christian Church Gymnasium, is taxing the ingenuity of the entire [volun]teer force of the church, which [is an] experienced one in the matter of [serv]ing banquets. Where the ladies [hith]erto have made their purchases [by] pounds and small quantities, they are now required to buy by the dozen cases.

Some of the things will go [into the] making of the big feed a success [will] be 1200 rolls, 150 cans of pork and beans, 1400 frankfurters, [illegible] plates and cups and nearly [illegible] of milk.

The program will start at 1:30 [in] the form of a big parade [of] various troops in the Council [to com]pete for the Arahi Cup. [illegible] will be made on the fol[illegible]

[illegible] to some movies, including a film [illegible] prepared

Case Dismissed Against Walter Yates and [illegible]

The case against Walter Y[ates] charged with being implicated [in the] holdup Sunday night, when Frank Walker was held up as he was [coming] from the late I. C. train was dismissed in Judge Di[illegible] [illegible] ingly had warrants issued for the arrest of Walter Yates and Tom Jenkins. Jenkins it developed had been working in Danville for some time and was not in Benton at the time of the holdup. Yates it was stated was prepared to prove by a number of [witnesses] that he was not on the street at [the] time the holdup was said to have taken place.

When the case was called for a hearing this morning, Mr. Walker and the parties who were with him at the time, stated that they might possibly have been mistaken in identifying the two boys and so ask that the charges be dismissed.

Webster Basket Ball Team Wins Two More Games

The Webster sixth grade basket ball team defeated the Grant [sixth] graders on the latter's court Wednesday afternoon, the score being 10 to 5.

Following was the Webster [line-up] Arthur (Slim) [illegible]

The Webster sixth graders [defeated the team] from the Douglas sixth [grade] Thursday afternoon on the [illegible] court, the score being 10 to 4.

[illegible] tonight and Saturday: [illegible] settled. [illegible]

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[illegible] ANNOUNCEMENTS

Historic Park Lands in Museum

Feb. 5.—Mr. A. P. [illegible]ginian silver table fork, [illegible] has been bought by the Victoria and Albert Museum, South Kensington. The fork is engraved with the crests of the Marchers and Montagues families.

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[illegible] Notes

Following is a report of the Rand school for the one-half year ending January 1, 1926.

Advanced Section—5th Grade

The five highest grades made are

[illegible] lam, 84; Maxey Bertoni, 83; Mary Monnyham, 82; Freda Bailey, 81. Those averaging 80 are: Harry Ward, Mary Trotter, Ella Pendrexen, Steve Pistone and Isabella Johnson. Each of these making 80 as an average received away every in the

Seventh Grade

The five highest grades follow: Freda Platts, 88; Johanna Johnson, 85; Mary Richardson, 84; Cecil [illegible] ere Marietta Head, Maud Jones, Virginia Vanhorn, Royal Bradford, Rudolph Philpsik, Margaret McGovern and Everett Vanhorn.

Sixth Grade

The five highest grades follow:—Louie Bertoni, 87, Melvin Johnson, 85; Ruby Leffler, 82; Ellen Graham, 82; Ellen Martin, 84. Others making above 75 are Thelma Jones, Louise Simmons, Jessie Duggar, Paul Jones and Beulah Lance. Others in this grade who left school early in the year were Elsie Eubanks, Minnie Pinson, Carl Jacobs, Wayne [illegible] your best in order were:

Seventh Grade

Mary Richardson, Cecil Thomas,

Eden Martin, Ruby Leffler, Allen Graham.

Remainder of Advanced Room.

The attendance of this room has been most excellent, having a record of [illegible]

Ten of this room have not missed a day—Mary Trotter, Maxey Bertoni, Freda Bailey, Margaret McGovern, Nole Ward, Mary Richardson, Mary Gita Head, Lugie Bertoni, Thelma Jones, Royal [illegible]

[illegible] to inspect the school and find out how the school is being conducted and what your boys and girls are [illegible]

(Celia Bell McGovern, Teacher)

The enrollment for this room has [illegible]

Stephen Platt, Maitre Oldfield, Joe [illegible]

Craddock, Alfred Harper, Faye [illegible]

After so many hiatus left, we decided to let some of the five-year [illegible]

They have been a very fine bunch of youngsters and we call them the "Little Bird Class" as they are not yet far enough advanced to be called "The Big Bird Class."

The pupils who have been very [illegible] were put in an advanced class in themselves called the "Star Class." The pupils making the best grades [illegible]

Ulline Martin, Wilma Bradford and Lyle Miller.

Merle Johnson, James Henry Nobenbern.

Virginia Mazgowski, Joe Vasiloschvich, Rose Heard

[illegible] all, an excellently equipped primary [illegible]

CHURCH OF CHRIST

[illegible] welcome for worship and bible study. Also at 7 o'clock in the evening for prayer and Bible study. Everyone is cordially invited to come and be one of us.

The Classified Column will sell anything you have for sale. Run an ad and be convinced. You will be satisfied at the results obtained from ads run in this column.

Rand School Notes

Report of the Midwinton School for the month ending February 1st.

School was in session twenty-one days. Total enrollment 128. Report by [illegible]

Primary Room, Mrs. Ruwena Wil[illegible]

Enrollment 43, Average attendance [illegible] 34.

Those neither tardy nor absent: Clare Brown, Opal Scandling, Helen Harris, Grace Simpkins, Lena Jones, Ruby Dunmyer, Mildred Cullison, Lucile Grizzell.

Missing one day—

[illegible] Jones, Jessie [illegible], Vernon Kirkpatrick, Velma Hicks, Fleta Reed, Jen.

Intermediate Room, Mrs. Bertha [illegible]

Enrollment 50, Average attendance 46 plus.

Present every day: Emmit Scather, Donald Odell, Ralph Stanley, Cecil Jones, James Grizzell, Thorn Brown, Leslie Hill, Otis Winget, Pete Person, Opal Meyers, Claude Price, Chas. Leeds, Earl Hubbard, Paul Pritchet, LaVern Hubbard, Ernest Gould, Nina Manne, Lorine Hudson, Mildred Burkey, Gleeta Stull, Elizabeth McGlasson, Maud Naylor, Lois Brown, Marie Grizzell, Chas. Dunkyer, Zola Sims.

Absent one day: Gene Vineburnt, Loree Stockley, Virgil Hudson, Doris [illegible]

Enrollment 22, Average attendance [illegible]

McGlasson, Carl Mayor, Flora Jones, Ruby Wallace, Leonard Hertel, Genevieve Tinsley.

Skiing

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pucke moved last week in the property formerly occupied by B. V. Pucke

Ida Warren spent last Saturday night with Loretta Fitzsimmons

Next Sunday and Sunday night Mr. Ingram will preach in the town hall here.

[illegible] day night with Marie Chapman.

[illegible] Wilson Summers last Monday afternoon.

Irvan Warren and John Chaplain called on Delmar Cherdell last Saturday night

[illegible] night with Stella Ing.

J. A. Belen, formerly of West Frank[illegible]

Wilson Summers and Ulla Harris [illegible]

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Notice to Creditors

Estate of Jesse Bundy, Deceased

[illegible] Administrator of the estate of J. S. Bundy, late of the county of Franklin, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Franklin County, at the [illegible]

ELLA BUNDY, Administratrix.

Attorney

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Best Chuck Beef Roast 14c

Fresh Ground Hamburger 10c | Pork Shoulder Small & Lean, Pound 17c

Fancy Soap, Per Bar 5c

POTATOES per peck 25c | Good Coffee per pound 40c

Florida Oranges Per Peck 70c | Navy Beans per pound 9c

Wax Beans Cut two cans 25c | Wax Beans Cut two cans 35c

YOUNG MERCANTILE COMPANY

PERSONALS

SELF CULTURE CLASS MEETS AT HART HOME

The Self Culture Class and many invited guests met in the spacious home of Mrs. W. H. Hart, Monday evening, February 2. The meeting was called to order by the president and Mrs. Hart read a poem "To February Small the number of your day As the old one [illegible] Of the glad year's dozen brothers.

Lincoln, Washington—thus fame Early in your course came Hallowing the space that you Claim each winter as your due. Also greatnoble day, and when Fourteenth comes along again, Valentine! Ah, February! Brief, but oh, important—very

Stockland's Hiatus

A violin duet composed of Mrs Clark Phillips and Miss Mary Hart with Miss V. H Centre at the piano [illegible] Y. memory Park was described by M is Mi[illegible] ord. Mrs. W F Dillon read of the big trees in Sequoia, and Miss Dorothy Hornbhack of the Yosemite National Park The decorations were [illegible] vited that the fortunate audience [illegible] a good idea of what these wonders [illegible] nature really are. Miss Lada Reed with Mrs. W. H Alpin at the piano [illegible]

Of Mine [illegible] solos were rendered by Miss Virginia Kincaid and Miss Margaret Webber, both are wonderful performers and added much to the program

An invitation was extended Ingle Du Quoin club women to be Martha Lynne Counsle of East St Louis. The name of Mrs. Horace Moore was added to the rolr

The assistants were Mesdames B. B. Morris, Max T Holbourg, C. [illegible] Hudelson, E. B. Swofford and Miss Anna Cosgrove, who performed their part to the satisfaction of the guests, serving "groundhog" and other dainties

This was one of the best meetings of the year and the next will be at St Patrick Parlor in the home of Mrs J. L. Brownlee

The members of the American [illegible] Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting Monday night. All members are urged to be present. Either bring or send dues to Mrs. F. V Johnson.

Miss Mae Garner of West Frankfort visited friends in Benton last [illegible]

Drink Water If Kidneys Bother

Drink a Tablespoonful of [illegible]

[illegible] drinking a quart [illegible] take salts occa[illegible] salts are made from lemon juice [illegible] rid the kidneys [illegible] and is from the [illegible] They [illegible] can any sufferer with a [illegible] ery to the kidney region sharp [illegible] back, urinary disorders, [illegible] bladder misery, scanty [illegible] when the weather is bad [illegible] rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the system aches and nerves are irritated, although you do much relief two or three times during the night

To Delay Invites [illegible]

[illegible] are a tablespoonful to a [illegible] before breakfast for a [illegible] your kidneys may then not bother you. Salts is made from the juice of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia. This [illegible] acts to help [illegible] kidneys.)

[illegible] Ill Harrison of West Frankfort was a business visitor in Benton this [illegible]

Mrs. Lee [illegible] Sale note on Commercial Fashion Shop.

[illegible] mother, Mrs. Noh[illegible] and family to Herrin

[illegible] Bakhouse for sale, paying from [illegible] 00 per month. For sale, [illegible] phone 785W Benton, Ill.

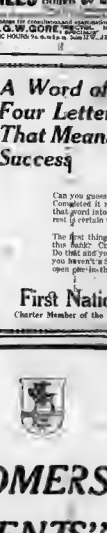
Dr. M [illegible] harris and son Freeman [illegible] medical meeting at Mt Vernon last night

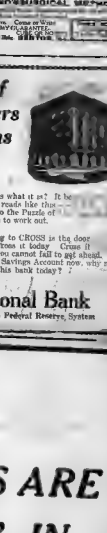
[illegible] and Mr. F. B. Litton of 800 North Main street, were interested visitors one day recently at Radio Station WI[illegible] [illegible] ated on the tower of the Westbrook plant at Chicago

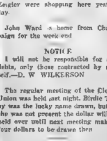
Mr and Mrs V E Harp this morning for Chicago, where Harp will on [illegible]

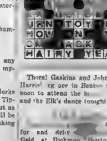
CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 67

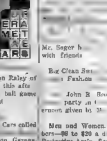
Does brilliant reading on photo of mine [illegible]

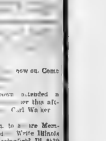


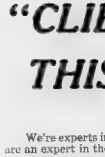


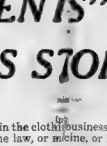


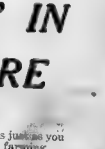


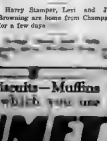


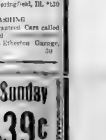


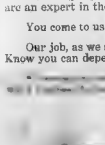


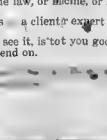


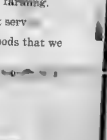


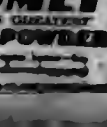


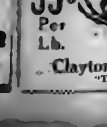


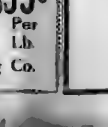












Mrs Chas. Bonner and daughter of Zeigler were shopping here yesterday

John Ward a home from Champaign for the week end

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts, only those contracted by myself.—D. W WILKERSON

The regular meeting of the Clerks Union was held last night. Birdie Tipsy was the lucky name drawn, but as she was not present the dollar will be held over until next meeting making four dollars to be drawn then

Harry Stamper, Levi and John Browning are home from Champaign for a few days

Thoral Gaskins and John Raley of Harrisburg are in Benton this afternoon to attend the basketball game and the Elk's dance tonight

[illegible] Cars called for and delivered. Hickman Etherton Garage, Call 62.

Mrs E. R. Allen of West Frankfort is the guest of her parents, Judge and Mrs. F. W Spiller yesterday

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FOR RENT—One acre, with four room house, with basement, hen house, barn. East Main on Hard road.—Geo. Schneiderwin

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[illegible] agents. specia[illegible] clerks wanted in every locality take orders for men's all wool suits direct from factory to wearer Rea $40 values at $23.75 are easy sell; spare time or full, $60 to $90 a week, commission in advance; no [illegible]ring or collecting. Powerful sample outfit free by return mail.—

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LOST—Gold rimme[illegible] St. Clair Oil Station Return to W H Coltrim barber shop.

STAR Theatre

Friday - Saturday

Wanda Hawley

in

The Desert Sheik

ARABS, CAMELS, FIGHTS

and

William Duncan

and

Edyth Johnson

in

The Fast Express

Death Claims Herbert Anderson Of Frankfort

less afflicted who were complaining

(Continued from First Page)

of their troubles.

Although confined to his bed practically all the time for the last three years Herbert was very popular among the young folks of the city as well as every one in general, and there was hardly an hour of the day since he became confined to his bed that some one did not call at the hospital to bring him tokens of remembrances or words of cheer

Herbert's friends were counted by the thousands, and when the Daily American put on a subscription contest last Spring, offering a large Apperson Jack Rabbit car as capital prize, he was placed in nomination by his friends and although he was bed fast, his friends rall[illegible] to such an extent that he was declared the winner of the car by over a million votes. He was never able however, to drive the [illegible]

Funeral services will be conducted at the North Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Interment will follow at the Masonic and Odd Fellows cemetery

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[illegible] CAUSES MIX TO LOSE HIS NERVE

Tom Mix once lost his nerve as well as his shirt. If you watch the [illegible]g follow closely you can see his cow boy nerve slipping in one gorgeously comic scene of "Oh, You Tony!" the new William Fox attraction which will be shown at the Capitol theatre on [illegible]turday

Incidentally a man never looks or feels so foolish as when he's lured into a fashionable women's clothing establishment by a lady who is not his wife, and there sits uneasily wh[illegible] the sirens of the cloak and suit trade, the sinuous manikins show off

That's the pickle Tom Mix was in, as Tom Masters, rough ranch owner, who goes to Washington and is taken in by the fast set. An exotic, lovely adventuress 'Countess Maya Bulbulara deliciously played by Dolores Rousse, lures him to Madame Pauquett's shop to "look at clothes."

Uneasy squirms the cowboy with the Countess sitting beside him in this sanctum "for women only" as the manikins and models, good lookers all, pass in review, wearing the latest Paris creations in tailored suits, street and walking dresses, tea gowns, din[illegible] gowns, then full evening frocks that leave less and less to the imagination, then kimonos boudoir neg[illegible]gees and smart patterned pajamas.

Then Tom's eyes begin to pop out They shift the gear to Paris lingerie. The next girl comes along displaying dainty "undies," professionally, with perfect propriety as if he didn't exist Gallantly, Tom turns his head. It may be done in Washington, but it just ain't done out West. Not in the cow [illegible]

[illegible] of his pocket, puts 'em on [illegible] he can face the fa[illegible] show [illegible]ture of "Oh You Toney!" that's bound to please all the women, as well as make a hit with the men.

Today's Radio Program

WSB, Atlanta—8 band; 10:45 pro[illegible]

KFDM, Beaumont—8 Band concert

[illegible] Buffalo—6 music, [illegible]

[illegible]icago—6 organ, 6:30 ensemble, quintet, 8 concert, 10 orchest[illegible]

[illegible] Chicago—6:30 organ, Senate quartet 8 farm program, 9 [illegible]t, soloists, orchestra,

WFAA, Dallas News—6:30 orchestra; 8:30 vocal, violin

WOC, Davenport—7 20 educational, orchestra.

WHO, Des Moines—7 30 mandolin, guitar, banjoist, vocal, orchestra

WCCX, Detroit Free Press—7 30 musical 9 dance.

WWJ, News, Detroit—6 News orches[illegible]tra, tenor, poet.

[illegible] address, story, ensemble, 8 program, 11 45 Nighthawk

KHJ, Los Angeles—8 concert, 8:30 children, 9:30 talk, 10 pianist; 11 instrumental trio; 12 orchestra

WOR, Newark—7 string quartet, [illegible] program, 9 Mableanna Corby

[illegible]w York—6 orchestra. 8 30 fashion chats, 9 10 popular [illegible] 5 storage batteries; 9:35 dance: 11 Ted Lewis

WJY, New York—7 15 travelogue; 9 how motion pictures are made.

WOAW, Omaha—6 story, 6:30 violinist, pianist, 7 15 sports; 9:30 harpist, pianist.

[illegible], Philadelphia—6:30 orchestra; [illegible]30 orchestra, 9 00 orchestra 9.30 orchestra

KGW, Portland Ore.—10 lecture; 12 Hoot Owls

KPO, San Francisco—6.30 orchestra 10 dance, 11 play

WGY, Schenectady [illegible]

[illegible] orchestra, 11 concert; 12 dance.

$500,000 TO CHURCH

NEW YORK, February 6.—A dona[illegible] feller, Jr., to the fund to compl[illegible] the Cathedral of St. John the Divine was announced tonight by Bishop William T Manning This gift, the largest [illegible] contribution sped the campaign toward the $7,000,000 mark on the way to the goal of $15,000,000.

[illegible]ckefeller's noble gift" said the bishop, "will be very greatly appreciated by our whole city and by all who are interested in the [illegible] the cathedral. This addi[illegible] building fund is [illegible] help in itself, but will inspire others and will give still greater confidence to the army of workers who are giving their time and their help in this great cause."

LOGAN

Last Friday night the Logan High School basketball team defeated Thompsonville High at Thompsonville, in one of the hardest fought games this season. This makes the third straight defeat Logan has handed Thompsonville, having defeated them twice at Thompsonville and once here

On Saturday night the "peppy five" suffered their third defeat of the season at the hands of Carrier Mills. The game was played at Carrier Mills, and the boys made the trip in a truck, so were well worn out when they arrived there. At that they put up a good fight, the score being 12 to 6. Reba Bell, star forward and captain, was out of the line-up on account of injuries received in the Thompsonville game.

The boys will play at Creal Springs this Friday and will be entertained at an informal party after the game. Several of the Logan fans are expecting to make the trip.

Two boys from Carterville had their car stolen here Monday night and with the assistance of Deputy Sheriff Ed Berry found it abandoned in a mud hole about two miles east of here.

Mesdames John Chryswell and T. Gallagher were visiting in Buckner last Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore [illegible] were in Benton last Fri[illegible] some dental work done.

Misses Helen Harris and Orlean Smiley attended the Elks' dance at Benton last Friday night. Thomas Gallagher and Pauline Brown also attended.

The guides in the shaft at the mine were torn out last Thursday and the miners had to climb out the air shaft. There was ice on the steps which made it quite hazardous. The mine will be ready to resume work Monday.

Herrin Klan Wants Galligan To Resign Office

(Continued from First Page)

[illegible] jury reports and it is estimated that [illegible]

[illegible] S. Glenn Young, slain Ku Klux [illegible]

[illegible] was charged with [illegible]ng office, robbery, [illegible]

The sheriff, former states attorney, and the present states attorney are under indictment here. George Galligan, who still retains his title of sheriff although he has agreed to leave the county, is at present under ten indictments. Former States Attorney Duty is named in four and and Arlie Boswell, Duty's successor named in eleven indictments. City Judge Bowen, Mayor Anderson, Justice of the Peace Abe Hicks, John Ford, former chief of police, and four of the present police force are under indictments in Herrin. George Bell, coroner of the county is charged with malicious mischief, rioting, false imprisonment assault to murder, conspiracy and kidnaping in nineteen in[illegible]

"SEBO" SULLINS ASKS RE-ELECTION FOR CONSTABLE

In yesterday's issue of the Evening News appeared the official announcement of G. E. "Sebo" Sullins, who has again pitched his hat in the ring for re-election to the office of constable of Benton township. [illegible] "Sebo," as he is generally known [illegible] elected as constable last spring to fill the office made vacant by the death of Jim Newman.

Although the work was entirely new to "Sebo" he assumed the duties of the office with a determination to master the details of the work and make an efficient officer This he did as his record will show, and now feeling that he is much better qualified to handle the office he asks the voters of Benton township to again show their confidence in hi[illegible] and return him to the office.

He is trustworthy and efficient and is entitled to the confidence of the voting public.

1924.

[illegible] Beulah Majors, Carl Majors, and West Frankfort Building and Loan Association.—In Chancery Partition.

Gen. No. 5786.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered on the 3rd day of December A. D. 1924, by the said court, in the above entitled cause, I, Master in Chancery of said Franklin County, will at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the 14th day of February A. D. 1925, at the south door of the Court House in Benton, Ill., in said Franklin county, sell, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate lying and being in the county of Franklin, state of Illinois, To-wit:

Lot number One in block Number Five in the Blake-Harris Addition to the City of West Frankfort, except all of the coal and minerals beneath the surface thereof, together with the [illegible] free from damage because thereof and subject to the mortgage thereon in favor of the West Frankfort Building and Loan Association, on which there is now due $768.00. And it is ordered that said premises be sold free and clear of the homestead of the said Mamie Majors, she having filed her written waiver of homestead and her election to take the value thereof in money

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half cash in hand. The balance to be paid in twelve months, deferred payment to bear interest at six percent per annum and be secured by mortgage on the premises. Purchaser to have the privilege of paying all cash.

Dated at Benton, Illinois, this 15th day of January, A. D. 1925.

WM. D. SEEBER,
Master in Chancery of Franklin County, Illinois.

A. C. Lewis, Comp. Sol.

Jan. 16-23-30 Feb. 6

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Benton Evening News

The End Did't Come But What A Scare Anyway Fire Is Fire

SHAFT SLOWLY BEING SUNK OVER COLLINS

[illegible] Reached Depth of Twenty Feet With That Much Yet to Go.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 7.—(By A. P.)—Kentucky troops stood by today as miners were digging away at the new shaft to Sand Cave where Floyd Collins, entombed, has laid pinned by a boulder for almost 200 hours.

Determined that nothing shall interfere with operations the guards under [illegible] and John Geralds away from the cave. Geralds was a leader of one of the numerous rescue parties.

[illegible] by a diamond point drill, for [illegible] was going down. Early today it had gone beyond the twenty foot level and that much more is yet to be done. Workers have been digging forty-eight hours, day and night and another forty-eight hours probably will have passed before the opening [illegible]

Workers were somewhat encouraged this morning by the nature of the [illegible] stone at any depth necessitating blasting at least forty-five feet from the surface.

DENISON WILL HANDLE BRIDGE BILL IN HOUSE

Predict Success For Measure Authorizing River Bridge At Cairo

[illegible] this district, has been delegated by the Commerce Committee to ha[illegible] charge of a bill on the floor, which, [illegible] tion of a bridge across the Mississippi and Ohio rivers at Cairo, Ill. The passage of the bill is regarded as almost [illegible]

Congressman Denison has been interested in this project for some time and his selection to manipulate the bill on the floor was due to his interest in the measure and to his knowledge of the needs of such an improvement at the southern extremity of the state.

The consideration of the measure, which was placed on the unanimous consent calendar as the result of the favorable report on the bill by the House Commerce Committee, will be in order Feb. [illegible]

The bill, which was introduced by Representative Hawes, Democrat of Missouri, would authorize the state of Missouri, Illinois and Kentucky to construct and operate the b[illegible] One would be built across the Mississippi and the other across the Ohio as links in existing and projected interstate highways to be built as parts [illegible]

[illegible] y of the B. [illegible] the week

Fire Breaks Out in the Middle of Night and Looks Like What it "Aint."

Nearly every one in Benton and for that matter in the United States, were familiar with the rumors that were being broadcast all over the country to the effect that someone had figured out the exact time the world would come to an end and had designated that it would take place at exactly 12:57 this morning. Some there were who took the matter seriously, and according to reports, were making extensive plans for the time when they would in the twinkling of an eye be wafted up into the clouds, or beyond the clouds, there to be clothed in the robes of snowy white, or whatever attire happened to be waiting for them. Others scoffed at the idea, and said it might be one time or another nobody knew, and it wouldn't make any difference any how, it would all be done so quickly that no one would be hurt. That is the attitude that most Benton folks took of the matter, if there was anyone who took the matter very seriously they kept their thoughts pretty much to themselves.

[illegible] tween twelve and one o'clock last night, when a number of persons in the city who were not sleeping any too well any way, happened to be [illegible] ong about that time, and looking [illegible] at the window in a north-easterly direction, behold the sky all aglow. Flames were leaping high into the air and it didn't take much of an imagination to see a great fire coming rapidly down upon the city. Surely those folks were right, the end [illegible] near at hand.

It is even understood that some folks who were skeptical before, set out wild cremes and crawled under the bed.

As they waited breathlessly for the roaring flames to come on and lap them up into eternity, they heard a weired sirene scream, and then it all came to them, it must be a house on fire and the fire engine was just passing.

The firemen say they received a call between twelve and one last night to come to the home of Loy Potter near the ice plant. [illegible] it was stated, had [illegible] uri on a visit the [illegible]. The fire was well under way before it was discovered by neighbors and was beyond co[illegible] the department arrived. [illegible] building and furniture was a total loss. The origin of the fire is unknown, it was stated, unless it was caused from an over-heated electric iron. Some of the neighbors told Fire Chief Clayton that Mrs. Potter had been ironing yesterday afternoon and in the hurry to get away on the trip to Missouri, had possibly left the iron connected.

Several Ailments Cause Heart Disease

ST LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 7.—(By A. P.)—The ordinary cold, the sore throat, tonsilitis, infected sinuses, diseased teeth and many other infections to which little attention is paid, are among the principal causes of heart disease, according to Dr Hugh McCulloch, assistant dean of the Washington University school of medicine, who is delivering a series [illegible]

No Snow On the Boardwalk

[illegible] action are [illegible] of fare to [illegible] red, inland [illegible] Picture above shows visitors promenading and sitting in rolling chairs on the Atlantic City Boardwalk on the day that those in other cities were struggling through [illegible]

(c) Atlantic Foto Service

SEARCHERS FIND SECOND ANCIENT CITY IN NEVADA

Is Located at Head of Forty Mile Canyon; Excavations Will Be Started Soon.

TONOPAH, Nev., Feb. 7.—(By A. P.)—Another prehistoric city was found recently 30 miles east of Beatty, at the head of Forty Mile [illegible] y and W. E. Bond, of Beatty, have been investigating their find for two months, and they say it promises to rival in archaeological importance Pueblo Grande, Nevada, the ancient city found recently in the Valley of Fire.

A considerable quantity of pottery has been uncovered, and it is said to be unlike anything hitherto found on the American continent. As soon as weather conditions permit, further excavations will be undertaken by W. M. Harrington, representing the Heye Foundation of American Indian Research and the Smithsonian Institution.

Mr. Harrington at present is sup[illegible] day he is finding evidence that convinces him this city existed some 2,000 years ago and was occupied for a thousand years before it was abandoned for some unknown cause. He has uncovered 16 tombs, contain[illegible] and pearl shell cut [illegible] The length of this city of antiquity has been established at six miles.

F. W. Hodge, curator of the Heye Foundation, has recommended an [illegible] entire city. It is estimated the work will cost around $190,000.

[illegible] Babies Start With Bank Books

DESSAU, Prussia, Feb. 7.—(By [illegible] on Christmas was given a deposit of [illegible] the municipal savings bank. The district savings bank a[illegible] even more for new [illegible] nounced that it [illegible]

WILLIAMSON CO PEACE STILL OPEN ISSUE

Klan Faction Now Objects to Appointment of Deputy Sheriff Parks.

MARION, Ill., Feb. 7.—(By A. P.) The prospect of peace in Williamson County still remains an issue today while the board of supervisors of the county were awaiting the report of its committee which met with Sheriff George Galligan in Springfield Thursday. The report would be made at the meeting here this afternoon, it was announced [illegible]

A set of requests outlined by the Ku Klux Klan from over all the county at a meeting here last night made [illegible] nation, it was said.

Declaring that the peace pact outlined by Sheriff George Galligan and the board's committee in conference at Springfield Thursday would not improve conditions, the Klan planned an amendment giving the board of supervisors full control of the [illegible] jail.

The Klan leaders also said that it would be useless for Sheriff George Galligan to leave the county [illegible] remained in office. Another point the Klan disputed was that Galligan would receive his salary for the rest of his term although not active officially. The Klan's proposal would prevent Randall Parks, deputy, from assuming the duties of Sheriff.

MARION, Ill., Feb. 7.—(By A. P.) —Declaring that martial law would bankrupt Williamson County, Attor[illegible] with the board of supervisors to rati[illegible]

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FEW CITIES WANT TAX INCREASE

Believe They Can Get Along at Present Rate of 1.38 Percent.

[illegible] ndent League from a questionnaire [illegible] every city, village and town [illegible] state. [illegible] The [illegible]

WAR GENERALS PIONEER DAYS ARE RECALLED

Little Known Incidents in Careers of Grant, Sheridan and McClellan Related.

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 7—(By A. P.)—Little known incidents in th[illegible] ly army careers of Generals Ulysses S. Grant, Phil Sheridan and George B McClellan are related in an account of a year they spent at old Fort Vancouver, Oregon territory, written by Mrs. Delia B. Sheffield, who as the [illegible] regeant in the Fourth Unit[illegible] which they were attached, shared their [illegible] g experiences there in pre[illegible]

The Fourth United States infantry one of the pioneer organizations of the army, now is stationed at Fort George Wright, Spokan[illegible]

Mrs. Sheffield's memoirs of these days have been made public by William S. Lewis, historian of the Eastern Washington Historical Society, who received them from Mrs. Caroline Hathaway Cook, Mrs. Sheffield's daughter.

General, then Captain Grant, was regimental quartermaster and was in charge of the transportation of the Fourth infantry on its long journey from Governor's Island, New York, to Fort Vancouver in 1852. The trip was commenced on July 5, by steamer for Aspinwall, Panama, and thence across the Isthmus of Panama by train, boat, on muleback and afoot. The officers were accompanied by their fam[illegible] and some of the women carried small babies.

To add to the difficulties of the journey, the California gold rush was in full swing, and after the regiment had boarded a steamer on the Pacific side of the isthmus, Asiatic cholera broke out. San Francisco was reac[illegible] September 1, but no shore leave was granted for fear of desertions to seek gold. At Benecia, Cal., an army post, the regiment went into camp to recuperate until September 18, and then again boarded ship for Fort [illegible] couver, which was reached some days [illegible]

Besides the army barracks there [illegible] consisted of the Hudson's [illegible] on log huts of indian and halfbreed employes of the company, which carried on extensive trapping operations with Fort Vancouver as the base.

In order to raise the money to bring his family from the east, Captain Grant with a fellow officer [illegible] ed a tract of land not far from the fort, which he planted to potatoes and oates. However, Mrs. Sheffield's a[illegible] counts relates, the river flooded out the crops.

In the s[illegible] asked Mrs. Sheffield to take into her home as boarders himself, Lieutenant Phil Sheridan, [illegible] Clellan and two [illegible] jected that she [illegible] fee so large a [illegible]

Benton Wins Conference Tilt, 18 to 11

Meet DuQuoin Here Tonight; Logan and Carrier Mills to Play Preliminary.

Benton's Maroons won another conference tilt last night when they took a poorly played game from the Harrisburg basketeers on the local floor, 18-11. There was nothing thrilling about the contest unless it came in the second quarter when Harrisburg came within one point of tieing the score, and made things look uneasy [illegible]

[illegible] the preliminary the Benton grad[illegible] won a victory from a pick up high school team, 16-5. These graders, under the coaching of Prof. Elmer Dillon, are developing into real material, and indications are that they will make some of the High school boys who bid for a berth on the team next year look sick.

In the main go between Harrisburg and Benton the Maroons lined up as they have for the past three games: Ross and Samuels, forwards; Fry, center, Doty and Lowery, guards, with Gasaway substituting for Doty in the last three minutes of play.

Smith and Pankey were forwards for Harrisburg, Wilmoth was at center, with Hurst and Cooley as guards. McNabb substituted for Smith, and is given credit for much of the Harrisburg scoring.

Benton's scoring was pretty evenly divided, Ross leading by one basket. To the diminutive captain is given credit for three field goals, Samuels Fry and Lowery made two each.

The score at the end of the first quarter left Benton in the lead, 6-0. [illegible] visitors held the locals to one basket, while they made a total of seven points, the score being 8-7 at the end of the half.

Benton held Harrisburg scoreless during the third quarter, while they ran their own score up to fourteen, and four points each were scored by the two teams in the last quarter [illegible]

[illegible] a game with the Maroons. The DuQuoin lads won from Benton earlier in the year and are coming tonight with the hope that they will make it two straight this year.

[illegible] the Logan Branch team will meet the Carrier Mills high school. This it is expected will be as good a game as the main event. The Logan lads won last night in a pretty game with Creal Springs high school, at Creal Springs.

The preliminary will start at [illegible] tonight, and the DuQuoin game at 8 20

Herrin 27; Murphysboro 26.
Benton, 1[illegible]
Cairo, 23; Mounds City, [illegible]
Marion 18; W[illegible]

Dr. C. L. Otrich Dies At Sesser

Dr. Charles Lorenzo Otrich died at his home in Sesser Thursday after a long illness of a complication of diseases.

Dr Otrich moved from Anna to Sesser some fifteen years ago, being one of the pioneers of Sesser, arriving there just as the town had begun a thriving village. In Anna he had been in the drug business and [illegible] was established soon after the Doctor's arrival there, since which time he had been one of Sesser's staunchest backers.

Dr. Otrich's wife died [illegible] year ago, since [illegible] been in failing health, but it was not [illegible] reached the serious condition he was [illegible]

Among the surviving children is Mrs. Nova Phillips of this city.

THE WEATHER

[illegible]

UNCLE LUDE NEAL DIES LAST NIGHT

Found Dead in [illegible] Burial Will Be [illegible] Tomorrow at [illegible] Cemetery.

Louis C. Neal, better known [illegible] many friends in the city as Lude, was found dead in his ro[illegible] the South Side Hotel last night [illegible] of an attack of heart trouble.

[illegible] directly under the light. It is thought that he felt [illegible] coming on him and had gotten [illegible] turned on the light, and had dropped dead across the bed. Deputy Cor[illegible]

[illegible]

Tyrone—O. H. [illegible]
Six Mile—D. M. McPhail,
Denning—R. A. Swofford.

[illegible] To Be Buried [illegible]

[illegible] in West Frankfort where he [illegible] a patient for the past three [illegible]

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OGLESBY'S ENTERTAIN WITH VALENTINE PARTY

Thelma and G. W. Oglesby, Jr., entertained a few of their friends with a Valentine party at their home on [illegible] evening. Those enjoying the evening were [illegible] Riggle, Ruth Flowers, Helen Hashua, Laura Mae and Vera Perry, Evelyn Early, Mildred Ward, Lowell Early, Alice Goodwin, Freda Mundell, Violet Simmons, Thelma James, Carl Pritchett, Charles Hamilton, Gene Craft, Frank Craddock, Valley Pritchett, Cecil Hawkins, Carlton Simmons, Raymond Bayne and Raymond Lee.

Many games were enjoyed throughout the evening.

The members of the American Legion meeting Monday night. All members are urged to be present. Either bring or send dues to Mrs. H. V. Adamson.

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M. W. A. are requested to meet at the Mines Hall Tuesday, February 10.

Mrs. Ed Russell of Buchner is a Benton visitor today.

[illegible] Clayton of Johnston City was a Benton visitor today.

[illegible] A somewhat conscious effort is [illegible] amount of [illegible] to be [illegible] in this [illegible]

Parts of a Chesley artist. The material is mitered at regular intervals [illegible]

[illegible] most of embroidery on the front of the skirt is also in black. The [illegible]

German's First Cable Railway

GERWERSENTHAL, Saxony, Feb. 8.—The first cable railway [illegible]

Sensitive Total Says Albion

[illegible] organ [illegible] the [illegible]

[illegible] will attend in your party.

Home folks should see to it that their [illegible] relatives are notified [illegible] event which brings home [illegible] former friends and [illegible]

[illegible] Pep-Dine

[illegible] Hotel Cleveland Restaurant

[illegible] she is an authority upon Abraham Lincoln.

Miss Turbell comes to Benton under the auspices of the Woman's Club and the High School.

Through the courtesy of the first church the program will be given there. The High School orchestra will play.

Tournament Notes

It will be necessary that the classes of Benton open their games, March 5, 6, and 7. Be ready to give in your names to the committee.

High School Cafeteria

The Benton Township High School maintains a suitable Cafeteria for all those who desire a regular dinner or a short order lunch at the noon hour. The programs of all those who do desired work arranged from the beginning of school so that they might lunch at home.

No pupil or teacher is compelled in any way to patronize the High School Cafeteria, but according to a bulletin issued to all patrons last Sept. the Cafeteria is maintained to meet the needs of all those who care to patronize it.

[illegible] permits to go to 11.16. Those who [illegible]

[illegible] students who has did his [illegible] arranged to suit his needs, it is be[illegible] to his program.

[illegible] Alexander 2, Lena Kirsch, Florence Kimber 2; Paul Maude 1; Dorothy Moore 1; Ruby Sanders 2; Adeline Starkey 1; Alice Waggoner, Walter Layman 2; Enos Perry 1, Rosebud Odom 1, Bennett Doty

No. A9.—Curtis Bolsavy: Lena [illegible]

John McCartney 7; Sophia Jo Neal 4; Vernon Spencer; Margaret Glover (P. G.) 3; Valentine Flack (P. G.) 1; Dorothy Cantrell (P. G.) 1; Thomas [illegible]

Egypt" to Hold Big Dinner in Chicago

The annual, mid-winter dinner of [illegible] held Saturday evening, February 21st in the Cameo Room of the Hotel Morrison.

It is expected that between 600 and 1,000 former residents of that part of Southern Illinois known as "Egypt" will sit down to the banquet tables when President Trexler starts the proceedings at 6:30 p.m.

There will be an excellent program [illegible]

[illegible] Club of Chicago extensive. The several members of the facility of any [illegible]

The cost of the dinner will be $2.25 per plate. Reservations should be [illegible]

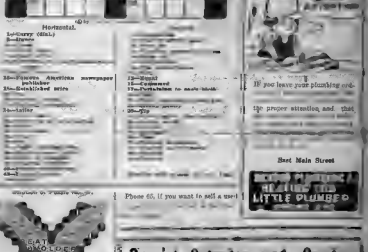
Welcome Scholars To Palestine

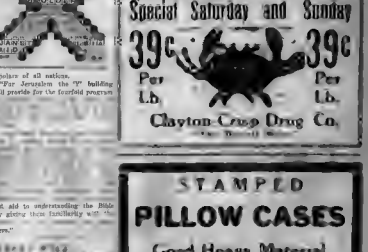
CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—(By A. P.)—[illegible] the work of the International Committee in Jerusalem, which has just [illegible] of the Japanese army was so impressed by the [illegible] Friends of the Jerusalem Y. M. C. A., which is to have its home on a hill overlooking Jaffa Gate, one of the very classic spots of the country.

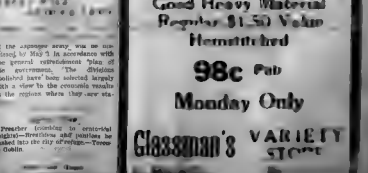
While all the fund needed to build, stained, [illegible] scholars of all nations.

"For Jerusalem the "Y" building will provide for the fourfold program [illegible] aid to understanding the Bible by giving them familiarity with the [illegible] men."

[illegible] Preacher [illegible] to [illegible] height—Brentano and [illegible] be dashed into the city of refuge.—Trevor to Goblin.







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WGN, Chicago Tribune—6 [illegible] 6:30 ensemble, string quintet; 8 classical; 10 dance.

[illegible] eria' theatre, Hawaiian guitarists, readings, pianologues.

[illegible] Chicago—7:30 barn dance [illegible]

WMAQ, Chicago News—6 program, 8 orchestra, 8 30 photologue; 9 Chicago theatre.

WQJ, Chicago—7 concert, soloists, 10-2 Skylarks.

KYW, Chicago—7 concert; 8 musical 905 Youth's Companion; 9:35 classic; 12-2 congress carnival

WLW, Cincinnati—6 concert, quintet, [illegible]

WEAR, Cleveland—12 "Nite Caps on Lake Erie."

WFAA, Dallas News—8:30 musical, 11 string quintet.

WOC, Davenport—7:30 religious dis-[illegible]

[illegible] 9:30 instrumental, 10 vocal, instrumental; 12 orchestra.

KHJ, Los Angeles Times—8:30 children: 10 vocal, instrumental; 12 [illegible]

[illegible] Los Angeles 3:45 talk, 9 [illegible]

CKAC, Montreal—6:30 concert, 7:30 entertainment; 9:30 orchestra.

WGY, Schenectady—8:30 dance.

KSD, St Louis—8 Symphony

Metropolitan Star Makes Radio Bow In Victor Recital

[illegible] he Metropolitan Opera, made his radio debut January 23 when he [illegible] in the third [illegible] from New York to [illegible] ions in Pittsburgh, Washington, [illegible] of the Metropolitan [illegible]

1922. The discovery is a [illegible] celebrated singer, Manuel Azo [illegible] him and offered instruction [illegible]

[illegible] ste, going from there to Rome, Milan, Vienna, Madrid, and the Colon at Buenos Ayres. When he first sang in Madrid he was acclaimed as one of the great-[illegible]

time he has been chosen to create important roles by modern composers. Fleta's voice is a pure fresh tenor, clear and [illegible]

On the program with Fleta was Miss Lucy Isabelle Marsh, and the Lonesley Quartet, artists of the Victor company

[illegible] Barca's [illegible] He also sang [illegible] and "Ay-Ay-Ay" in Spanish

WOR, Newark—6 orchestra; string quartet; 7:30 program, 8:15 male quartet.

[illegible] York-[illegible]

[illegible] 10 orchestra.

[illegible] hawks; 11:30

WCAE, Pittsburg—6:30 Uncle Kaboo, 6:45 movie chats, 7 road talk, 7:30 entertainers

WRC, Washington 6 music; 7 Bible talk, 7 30 talk, 7.45 announced 9:30 dance; 10:15 organ.

If you are looking for a house for rent read the Classified Column.

STAR Theatre

[illegible]

Wanda Hawley

in

The Desert Sheik

ARABS, CAMELS, FIGHTS

and

William Duncan

and

Edyth Johnson

in

[illegible]

CAPITOL 10 & 25

TOM MIX

in

"OH, YOU TONY!"

AND OUR GANG COMEDY

COMING—MONDAY AND TUESDAY

MERTON OF THE MOVIES

GLENN HUNTER IN TITLE ROLE OF STAGE SUCCESS

Is Supported By Viola Dana in Screen Version of Harry Leon Wilson Story.

Jimmy Cruze again!

It seems that any time anything [illegible]

and now it's "Merton of the Movies," a picturization of the tremendously popular stage play in which Glenn Hunter scored throughout the entire country.

Popular? If a record-breaking year in New York City and correspondingly lengthy runs in Philadelphia, Chicago, Baltimore, Washington, and any number of other big cities where Hunter played, don't speak for themselves, then we'll add [illegible] that this production is a bust. Walter Woods wrote the scenario for "Merton" from the legitimate play by George S. Kaufman and Marc Connelly. The original story by Harry Leon Wilson first appeared in the Saturday Evening Post and is now published in novel form. It is now estimated that over seventeen million people have read the story, and it is a sure bet that every [illegible] of these is going to see the picture and tell others about it.

"Merton of the Movies" is a story of youth. Hunter is young, and Viola Dana, featured in his support, is young. And the story might have been written expressly for them. They typify the youth in which this country glories—and at which it [illegible]

Here is the first story that directed attention to the real drama that existed in the hearts of thousands of young people who wanted to seek a career as movie actors or [illegible]

from imitation because it is a story that cannot be imitated. It has its own public for this class of thing the same as "The Covered Wagon" has among the western pictures. It has risen above any attempts to duplicate its theme in pictures.

[illegible] erton of the Movies" possesses that great 'something.' First, it has a title that is known the world [illegible] Second, the story is so real and human that it has succeeded on its own. In this production we have a real story of the real small town boy working as a clerk in a store, who prays that he may become a movie actor, and who finally goes to Hollywood, and what this boy goes through is the only real story of what thousands of boys and girls go through who go to the cinema city without knowing what is ahead of them

"Merton of the Movies" comes to the Capital Monday and Tuesday

DIVORCES GRANTED IN CIRCUIT COURT TODAY

Martha Wanto vs. George Wanto. Charge of desertion. W. P. Lightfoot, attorney for plaintiff.

O. F Dukes vs. Lucy Dukes. Charge of desertion. W. P. Lightfoot, attorney for plaintiff.

Jewell McAdoo vs Layman McAdoo charge of desertion. R. E. Smith, atty.

Few Cities Want Tax Increase

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"In order to provide more freedom for those needing financial relief, the league directors have determined to ask the general assembly to retain the present rate but to permit people in cities to increase the rate to a maximum of 1.75 per cent by referendum vote, the maximum rate to continue until reduced by a subsequent referendum vote," it was announced. This scheme would relieve those cities which now are in financial distress without [illegible]

more money than they actually need to meet their expenses."

"The questionnaire was issued by the league in order to determine what truth there was in reports that cities generally needed additional money to maintain their essential operation, said A. D. McLarty, secretary "It [illegible] for an in-[illegible] limitation but [illegible] such an increase [illegible] Facts bearing on the [illegible] bably will be presented [illegible] at its present [illegible] rec-[illegible]

Mexico Stands Firm For Protection of Local Wild Animals

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 7.—(By A. P.)—Dusk has fallen on the big game hunters' day in Mexico. Thousands of deer, bear and wild hogs roaming the hunting grounds of the northern mountain ranges will be saved from overzealous hunters under restrictions decided by the chamber of deputies upon the recommendation of Ben Tinker, Tucson, Mexico's American game warden

Free hunting the year round, without regard for season or bag limit which heretofore has made the Sinaloa and Sonora mountains a hunter's paradise, has been abolished under a complete new structure of game laws paralleling the American game restrictions, and the first on record for the preservation of game in the southern republic, observers here say

Establishment of specified open game seasons according to zones, into which the various states are divided, are provided under the new law, according to Tinker, who has returned to Tucson from an extended trip through the game regions of the Mexican west coast. But one month each year—October—is set [illegible] along the coast, he said. The law protects both whitetail and blacktail deer from the hunters

Three large zones, embracing respectively the central, northern and coast regions, are provided. In each zone the bag limit on deer will be four for a hunter during the open [illegible]

In the central zone the open deer season will begin Sept. 1 and close Oct. 31, and in the northern zone the season will begin Oct. 1 and end [illegible]

[illegible] wholesale slaughter of Mexico's big game by Mexican market and American trophy [illegible]

The Classified Column will sell anything you have for sale [illegible] be convinced. You [illegible] ad at the [illegible] run in this column.

[illegible] vember 6, 1846, at the place which we now know as Christopher. He was the elder of two sons born to [illegible] and Mary Swain Harrison [illegible] grandparents on his father's side were Mr. and Mrs Lemuel R. Harrison. His mother's parents were Mr. and Mrs. John Swain, who were the real pioneers of the grand old state of Illinois. Both families had "driven stakes" and "pitched tents" before our state was born. Isham Harrison, the great grandfather of W. O. Harrison, in the year 1814, settled on the track of land now used as the Harrison cemetery and the dust to which he returned now lies in that beautiful city of the dead. This cemetery was dedicated to him by his son, Andrew to the use of the Harrison family.

Dr. Harrison was born on a farm where the city of Christopher now stands. Later he named the city which grew up after his father Christopher Harrison, who died on his way to California during the gold rush and was buried on the banks of the Mississippi.

The mother cared for Francis and Sidney, who departed this life last June. Later she was married to Nepos Harrison, and to this union were born Nathaniel, Louisa, Katherine, Laura, Julzia, Hester, Louella and Henry, all of these have answered the final call, except Felix and Louella Rea Searcrant.

Dr Harrison was married to Maria R. Burkitt on April 6, 1868 They lived together until her death. In 1883 he was married to Emily Burkitt, to which were born three children, Lottie, Noha and Little, of whom survived their mother, who died in 1891. On March 1, 1896, he was married to Eva Estella Neal who this day mourns her loss of her departed companion. To this union were born six children, Ivan, Ethan Velma, Oval, Viva and Neva Dott, of whom are living except Ethan, who died in his second year.

Francis O. Harrison graduated from the Electic Medical College of Cincinnati Ohio, Jan. 22, 1878, after eight years of hard work and study Since that time he has practiced medicine in Christopher He always administered to his patients in a kind and sympathetic manner. The hour was never too late or the weather too severe for him to administer to his fellowmen—he went where he was needed and did not go for mercenary motives alone.

He not only believed in the Golden Rule, but practiced it as well—and this is the shortest story ever told of service to mankind.

He had been a member of the Christian church for fifty years and a faithful worker for the cause of Christ

He was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge of Christopher. He helped in many enterprises of the city. He was instrumental in getting the railroad through and secured the first depot. He was in the mercantile business, also a registered pharmacist and helped organize the First National Bank of Christopher, being a director at the time of his death.

He was also a member of the first City Council and had always been active in municipal affairs.

[illegible] had been a leader in the Republican party of the county for the past fifty years.

His widow, a sister [illegible] eight children [illegible] dren, mourn his departure.

WAR GENERALS PIONEER

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"Oh, that can be easily managed. I [illegible] all detail one of the soldiers who is [illegible] cooking, and [illegible] excellent cook book and am a pretty good cook myself. I am sure that we shall manage very well."

Grant Missed his wife very much at this time and frequently expressed a desire to resign from the army and live with his family, which some time later he did. After the potato failure, Grant and his business associate [illegible] around and chartered a vessel to ship them to market in San Francisco. The ship returned with the news that the chickens had died on the way, however, thus dealing a second blow to Grant's fortunes.

When Grant was ordered to report for duty at Humboldt, Cal., he gave Mrs. Sheffield his cook book, his feather pillows and some trinkets.

"During Grant's stay of one year at Fort Vancouver he had not made an enemy and gained the friendship and good will [illegible] field wrote, [illegible] one of [illegible]

Classified Ads

FOR RENT—[illegible] rooms modern, $12 per month. Call [illegible] 304tf

FOR RENT 5-room house at 1301 [illegible]

[illegible] able for re[illegible] store in West City Telephone 334.

FOR RENT—room furnished or unfurnished at reasonable price. 109 N. DuQuoin St., on pavement.

FOR RENT—One acre, with four room house, with basement, hen house, barn. East Main on Hard road.—Geo. Schneiderwin. 30t4

FOR RENT—modern bedroom on first floor, gentleman preferred, also garage.—406 W Main, phone 209-W 33tf

FOR RENT—3 or 4 room, modern furnished or unfurnished with or with [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] upy desk room in furnished office. Inquire Geo. A. Powers at First National Bank, 276tf

Salesladies EVERYWHERE to sell [illegible] no investment, easily earn $35 weekly, all or part time. Write today Pickwick Mfg. Co., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Tie makers at camp on I. C. cut-off. apply Droege Lumber at No. 3 Camp near Macedonia or Mr. Wynn, 501 Smith St., Benton, between 6 and 7 o'clock any evening 25t6

[illegible] ng Bungalo Aprons at home during spare time. Enclose 2c stamp for particulars. Rosemary Apron Co., Asbury Park, N J.

AGENTS WANTED — Tailoring agents, specialty salesmen, mechanics, clerks wanted in every locality to take orders for men's all wool su[illegible] direct from factory to wearer. Real $40 values at $23.75 are easy to sell; spare time or full; $60 to $90 a week, commission in advance no [illegible]

[illegible] pany wants man to sell Watkins Necessities in Benton. More than used daily. Income [illegible] Experience unnecessary. Write H-6 The J R. Watkins Company, 178 Liberty St., Winona, Minn.

AGENTS WANTED — Tailoring Agents, Specialty Salesmen, M[illegible] ics, Clerks wanted in every locality take orders for men's ALL WOOL suits direct from factory to [illegible] Real $40 values at $23.75 are easy to sell. Spare time or full, $60 to $90 a week. Commissions in advance. No delivering or collecting. Powerful sample outfit free by return [illegible] LongWorth & Sons, Dept 12[illegible]

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Store and four room house, Enoch Stanevich, 606 N. Stuyvesant St. [illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5 [illegible] house for land on hard road, good garage and barn, good water. Bargain if sold at once. N. McLeansboro, close to Grant School.—Reuben Lampley. 27t[illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5-room house, good as new, 1004 N. Main. Herbert Summers. [illegible]

FOR SALE OR RENT—7-room house at 302 N. Madison. Inquire [illegible] Buchanan. 27t[illegible]

FOR SALE—Nearly new Underwood Typewriter.—Albert Sanders [illegible]

FOR SALE—Large Boston Fe[illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Player piano. Will accept Victrola in exchange. 716E. Beatrice St.

LOST—Gold rimmed glasses near St. Clair Oil Station.—Return to W [illegible]

The Cash Grocery Store

Where Your Dollars Go the Farthest, Offers Some Very Attractive

SATURDAY SPECIALS

The following list represents a few of the many bargains we are offering

Lion's Best Flour, sack	$1.55	Red Globe Onions, pound	6c
Mayonnaise, highest quality, none better, per jar	25c	Green Onions per bunch	6c
Apple Butter 38 ounce	25c	Radishes, large bunch, two for	15c
Kellog's Corn Flakes	10c	Turnips per pound	6c
Choice Celery per bunch	10c	School Tablets Three for	10c

LETTUCE

Ice Berg Head lettuce

Leaf Lettuce

20 Cents per lb.

The Cash Grocery Store

Benton Evening News

ELECTRICAL TESTS TELL PRISONER IS STILL LIVING

HIGHER COURTS UPHOLD RULE OF LOCAL JURISTS

Five decisions of the various courts of appeals point to the fourth district

of these were from county court, two

where Joe Morese had prayed an ap-

Ward, when the defendant was fined

fined and sentenced to sixty days in

jail on a charge of possessing a still

and will bring Mrs. Ward and

higher court was that of D. C. Cran-

Service Company. Crawford brought

ly injured. Crawford claimed that the

that he struck the pole with his car,

Bradley of Carbondale City

Court, heard the case, sitting for

Judge J P Monograham, of West

Frankfort, and the verdict did not hold

this case may be taken to the supreme

The other West Frankfort City

Court case was where Jim Capps, resi-

dent of West Frankfort was seeking

CLINE-VICK COMPANY BUYS BENTON STORE

The Cline-Vick Drug Company,

through the Southern Illinois Coal

Drug Store of this city, having just

morning and will likely not be con-

the store will continue to do business

with no interruption from this work.

E. J. Ward, Jr., of Murphysboro,

the president of the State Elks Asso-

The first Cline-Vick store was

short time later the second one was

the chain.

Zeigler and Murphysboro. In all of

ores at Murphysboro the Rexall re-

medies and products are featured.

Leo Cline of Herrin and Snyder

Johnston City are at the head

there that the firm gets its name

few days closing on the deal for the

local store and helping Mr. Ward to

get acquainted with his new work

COMMODORE AND RICK ELK HEADLINERS

Preparations have been completed

morrow night when the second degree

Elks in the United States, will be one

of the guests, and with him will be

Albert Vahlkamp, his adopted son,

have had their preliminary training

tar non for what they will have soon.

look like anything afterwards. Two

Luster They claim to be old heads at

being initiated, and from their beat-

ful manner we doubt if they see stip-

A lunch and beer of fellowship will

follow the program and initiatory

work.

J. Nick Perrin To Be Guest Of Elk Lodge

SUPERVISORS AGREE ON NEW PEACE PLAN

A long heralded peace at last will

elaborate plan to end factional strife

to be worked out satisfactorily at a

meeting of the board of supervisors

Following the ratification of the

peace pact by the board last Saturday

the attention of its members turned

PROF. JACKSON WRITES OF NEW SCHOOL WORK

The editor of the News

lishly appreciated letter from Prof

of the Evening News, who last we

the remainder of the term

I think I shall send you tomorrow

copies of the two Morning papers

Monday has a good basket full

where there is still a large amount of

look out on the arm of the Lake, which

in the bay is Grand Island, a famous

and other wild animals on the Island.

There are found in the timber within a

few miles of Munising.

coast seat are the famous Pictured

Rocks. About six miles from the city

is a 60 foot waterfall with small falls

DOCTORS' IN THIS STATE

decision handed down here today

years.

south shore of Lake Superior where

TWO KILLED, FIFTY HURT IN NEW YORK FOG

as recent years envelopes the city.

ing Half a dozen persons.

noticed that the most serious of the

accidents on the city's transit lines

occurred in the Bronx where an ele-

vated train on the elevated structure

Two men were killed in this collision

while scores of the injured ran

IMPRISONED MAN'S HEART STILL ACTIVE

Times a Minute, says

E. G. Lane, operator of the

heart beat at the rate of twenty

quiry, Judge General L

and efforts to block course

"It is my purpose to

ing through the

Cave through the regular

and was caught coming

whether he knew of any

lying out every fact

rest will be soon.

KLANSMEN VISIT CHURCHES AT FRANKFORT

OLDER BOYS TO MEET IN HERRIN

Among the principal speakers on

illinois, devises the Y.

Y. M. C. A. and Rev Julian Ale

FATHER OF LOCAL MERCHANT DIES AT ANA ILLINOIS

The deceased was a soldier of the

office, and the principal feature of the

pected to be present.

Evening Greetings

o'clock of an evening, and by a vote

Y. M. C. A. and Rev Julian Ale

OFFICIAL FILES CHANGE OF DIRECTORS

ANOTHER NEW FILM ADDED TO HOME DAILY LIST

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Fine Cockerels

Rhode Island Reds

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Phone 1

Mrs. Ed Hayes

Benton, Ill.

Rt. 2

10¢

Its coolness and mellow "*body*" are a revelation to pipe smokers

Granger Rough Cut

ENJOYS SLEET

The Mission Circle of the Pres church holds its meeting at the church Friday

Collins as hostess for the afternoon and with Mrs. Sara Browning co-operating with Mrs. Mullins, they will combine in the work for the

Two interesting lectures were read from Missionaries in China and the Philippines expressing thanks for supplies sent by our Welsh Cross Department. It is indeed inspiring to hear direct from those who women who are serving in His Ambassadors. They are to be reminded of the friends "who hold up their hands" by receiving cards of greeting on their respective birthdays. It was most gratifying to have two women present who are members of

Class conducted by Mrs. Earle Mc... rie, and delighted all by singing several songs in their native language. We hope to have the women members of the Americanization Department with us regularly.

A splendid program on China was presented and celebrated by Mrs. A. L. Vought, in which Mrs. T. J. Layton, Mrs. Edward Dupree, Mrs. Paul Weis and Mrs. W. O. Etherton par-

The social hour was in charge of Mrs. J. L. Pickard, Mrs. O. E. Lincoln, Mrs. O. C. McIntire and Mrs O C McIntire, who provided an interesting bit of entertainment entitled "Short Reading," after which they served delicious refresh-

BIRTHDAY DINNER FOR MRS. WEBB

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Webb held a birthday dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Webb and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Webb and family of Webb Hill.

$29.50

and

$39.50

Walker & Sons Inc.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Sapsuto and family and Mr and Mrs W. B. Jones and family, the occasion being Mrs. Webb's birthday

meeting Monday night. All mem... or send dues to Mrs. H. V. A...

Frazier Wilson of Oak Park was the week end guest of John Browning

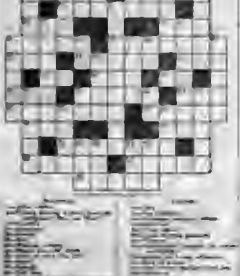
Dr. E. C. Alvis made a profes... sional visit at West Frankfort yesterday

Oil Map with bottle of ... for 79 cents at Glassman's Variety Store

Mike Nikopish of Nason was ad...

Mahogany Bed, bargain if taken ... Sunday. W. Gth St., phone 307

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 49



Monday weights are cheapest

Mrs. and Mrs. Leonard Smith of West Frankfort were the guests of Mr and Mrs. Geoffrey Smith yesterday.

Chas. Atkins of Johnston ... underwent an operation at the ... hospital yesterday

Mrs. Earl Martin and Mrs. Jesse Lewis were guests of friends in West Frankfort yesterday.

Mr. and Mr... Pulverman had ... for their dinner ... on Sunday Mrs. F. C. Wyatt and son Frederick, Jr.,

Frank Thompson of St. ... Eugene McIntyre, publisher of the National Daily Lumbtick Reporter of East St. Louis, and Samuel ... Gregg of Sparta, were business visitors in Benton Saturday.

Mrs. Pearl Johnson of Logan was a visitor at the Potter Beauty Shop Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Potter and son of Decatur spent the week end in Benton.

Misses Elphe Doty and Edna Dollins, who are attending school in Carbondale, spent the week end here

Mrs. Ella Moore of Logan was a business visitor in Benton Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Poole, who reside on North McLeansboro street, are the parents of a baby boy born yesterday. They have named him Ray Edwin, Jr.

For those who entertain on Valentine we have a beautiful assortment of Tallies, Place Cards, Nut ...

Mrs. Ella Moore of Logan was a visitor in Benton Saturday.

Miss Marjorie Burkhead spent the week end in Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Stella Podesit of Logan was a business visitor here Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sumler are spending a few days in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Ethel Cummins of Logan visited in Benton Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Woods of West Frankfort and Mr and Mrs. Gene Martin motored to St. Louis yesterday.

Mrs. J. L. Browning spent Sunday with friends in Herrin

Boys, have you seen those lovely Valentines at Maddox' 5th Stop, 114 W. Church St. ... 2813

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hickman motored to St. Louis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ludwig, and daughter, Katherine, and Miss Thelma Potter motored to Du Quoin yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brooks spent the week end in St. Louis.

Mr and Mrs. T. C. Davis motored to Carbondale yesterday and spent the afternoon with Mrs. Davis' mother.

Mr and Mrs. Will Keisler and son Artie, returned to St. Louis yesterday

PIQUANCY IS THE PARTICULAR NOTE OF THIS YOUNG GIRL'S FROCK

PROF. JACKSON WRITES OF NEW SCHOOL WORK

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"The ground has been ... since November. The snow ste... on until April. This is the ... for many years. The snow has ... thawing a little the last two days. Yes ... are very few autos at this time ... cause on account of the snow they can only be used in the city. You see many sleds and sleighs. The baby carri... are all on runners.

"The people I have met are delightful folks. Those who are not native born are Norwegian or Finnish. I noticed that two Finns were among the ten or twelve honor pupils of the high school.

"I have been asked, because I am from Illinois, to put on a Lincoln program on his birthday. I shall do this with pleasure.

"Lumbering is still the chief industry of the county. Farms are

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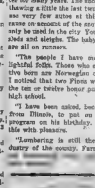
THE BENTON EVENING NEWS ADS PAY



(By Knowles in charge)
Will Be in Benton
HUDSON HOTEL.

SPECIALISTS, who devote their ... the treatment of Men, Women and Children as follows: STOMACH, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels ... Stones, Constipation, Anemia, Nervous Troubles, Diabetes, Sleeplessness, Varicose Veins, Catar...

Circumcision ... Hydrocele ... Ladies, Exclusively Epsor

PAY US AS YOU ARE ABLE
AVOID UNNECESSARY ... OPERATIONS
Most operations can be avoided. If you have been treated by one of several doctors, and have failed to well, do not give up all hope you can us, and get our ... We may be of service to you.
CONSULTATION, EXAMINATION AND ADVICE FREE
...REMEMBER you are given a thorough scientific, personal EXAMINATION FREE OF CHARGE, absolutely cost to you, and if you take treatment, we can arrange it so you ... take it, whether rich or poor.
Write or call.
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Pies—Cakes—Biscuits—... everything in which
CALUMET
THE PERFECT BAKING POWDER

Arlie Neuslist For Coroner

Gordon township is a new ... ddy for consideration of Benton ... subject to the will of the ... Democratic primary, on ...

...ut the county. He has made a ... supervisor, and thinks in every ... I believe that he would make an ... official as coroner.

He has a strong following of ... on and plans his home who will ... his candidacy at the primary and ... go on thoroughly efficient in his ...

Fining fish you must be ... ent, and have your ad put in the ... Advertising.

Benton Easy Winner Over Du Quoin Saturday

Lowery's Long Shot Was An Outstanding Feature of The Game

Lineup Shifts Left Only 2 Starters In The Play When Game Ended. Jones, Substituting For Rose Throws Into Players Bench In Wild Rush By Visiting Guard

Crews rang up the first basket for the team. DuQuoin calls time out for "heavy" guarding, and it seemed that their players had a peculiar knack

Quoin, and then quickly after the ball was passed up at center Ross scored for Benton. Play was slow for a time, more seeming to be covered by

Too much rich food forms acids which overwork the kidneys in

Bantu Water Is Back or Salmon Hunt?

Bantu water is back or salmon hunt

Bantu water is back or salmon hunt

Bantu water is back or salmon hunt

Bantu water is back or salmon hunt

stifler for a minute hoping they would maneuver in position. The shot looked too long to attempt, but that seemed

range of the basket as it dropped through. Benton 11; DuQuoin 4.

Third Quarter

Fry started the second in this period with a pretty shot. Fry near cor-

shot. Lowery, who was present in for Lowery,

hited with Jones of Benton, sending the local lad to the dressing room under a doctor's care. Conway replaces Jones, and missed both free shots Jones would have been entitled to. Yemm replaced Pugh. Fry scored

Cross came in for Jones and scored back scored for DuQuoin. In the last half minute of play, Benton 32, Du Quoin 7.

Logan Defeats Carrier Mills

In a pretty preliminary game the Logan Branch of the Benton Township High school defeated the team from the Carrier Mills High school by the 46-2 score. It looked for a time that the fast Logan basketeers were going to "shunk" the Carrier county lads, but the two points saved the visitors

Refining Aluminum Takes Foot Plunge

147 from the foot base of

One instrument, fashion or thing

to take his course in our comfortable, comfortable way with work, water and heavy sand, and perhaps

OSBORNE MAY LOSE HIS HIGH JUMP RECORD

Tiffin Tan star in jump at Bishop Conroy Fiesta Feb. 28

again.

Tom Poor, Kansas University Star, feet 4 inches, and Hal Osborne in the American Olympic Aquatic. If anyone is to beat Poor, it should be Justin

and in the Illinois Athletic Club Handicap meet last month with 6 feet 4 inches. This places him on a par with Poor, and the Harvard is in form, have

FRANKFORT OUT OF LITTLE TEN

Illinois Eleven Not Charged With

Basketball Conference cannot win the

This announcement was made when it was discovered that only eight had been scheduled by

was abandoned.

The elimination of West Frankfort from the championship race will give them a chance to win the south central title.

conference it is not possible the standing will be affected by the loss of Cahn.

BENTON WOMAN ELECTED OF I. F. S. W. C. W.

State Americanization Committee

AGOGAS TO MEET MARION TEAM TUESDAY NIGHT

School Teams

A double header basket ball game is scheduled for Tuesday night between teams of the Baptist Sunday school and a Marion Sunday school team.

The feature game will be between the Agogas Sunday school team and the team from the First Presbyterian church team of Marion, while the preliminary will be between a pick-up church team and a team from the

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Daniel Jones and wife to Frank

Zeigler Coal Co. 10th addition to Valuchas

let 27 block 2, Tower Heights tenement.

RESULTS IN BASKETBALL

Cincinnati 34, Akron 13.

With Funds of His Employer

warranty deed, considerations

ing remedy and there's plenty of proof right here in Benton. If

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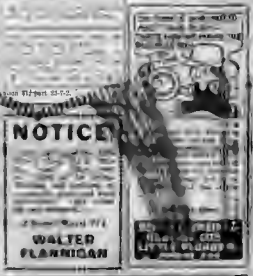
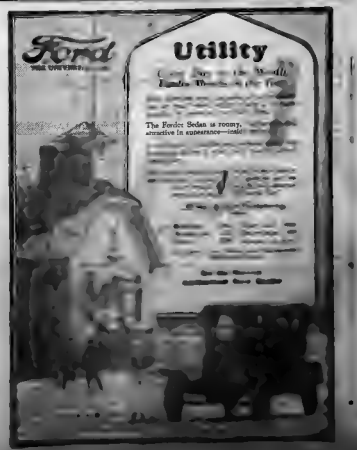
my back and when I moved or stooped, sharp pains caught me

spells when

eyes. My kidneys were weak, too, but after using Doan's Pills I was

Do you have anything to sell do





A Glad Hand to Our Rural Patrons

The EVENING NEWS wants every person in Franklin County who resides on a rural route to be a SUBSCRIBER, READER and BOOSTER for this paper.

We believe that the ambition will be realized

WE ARE GOING TO MAKE IT WORTH WHILE TO ALL THOSE WHO CARE TO HELP US IN THIS DRIVE. THEY ARE GOING TO REAP THE HARVEST OF A [illegible] THEY NEED FOR [illegible] NAME ON OUR GROWING LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS.

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The Evening News now has the greatest circulation among the farmers of the county than any other paper published in Franklin county. This is because we strive to make this a county paper. We feature news from every nook and corner of the county, written by our own correspondents—your neighbors and friends.

Yourself and your family deserve to know what is going on about them. They want to know—we want them to know. They can best find out by reading the daily issue of the Benton Evening News.

In addition to this they want to know the local and domestic news, the news of the world and the features that come regularly in this paper.

In order that the Rural Route Patron may be acquainted with the value of the Evening News as a Home Paper, we are going to make a special offer for one month only, and when that time has expired we hope to show a subscription list that will cover the rural districts of Franklin county like Santa Claus' beard covers his face.

For the next thirty days ending March 2, 1925, we will offer the Evening News in Clubs of five NEW subscribers at $2.75 each for a full year's subscription. No such offer as this has ever before been made. It may never be duplicated.

If you are now getting the Evening News regularly, show this offer to some neighbor and let them work up a club of five and get in on this wonderful offer.

THIS [illegible] AND THE OFFER IS MADE ONLY WITH THE VIEW IN MIND OF [illegible] OF THE EVENING NEWS. [illegible]

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per month. Call 496W

FOR RENT—5-room house at 1203 North Main. Apply 305 N Commercial.

FOR RENT—office, warehouse, available for retail store in West City. Telephone 324.

FOR RENT modern room. Phone 1356W.

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FOR RENT—One acre, with four room house, with basement, hen house, barn. East Main on Herd road.—Geo. Schneiderwin. 2204

FOR RENT modern bedroom

furnished or unfurnished with or

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WANTED—nursing by experienced

Bungalo Aprons at home during Lucas St. stamp for Rosemary Apron Co Park N. J.

WANTED—plain and fancy sewing 8 West Church Opal Whitenack

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Pete Morrison in "PIONEER GOLD"

A Western That Keeps You Guessing

And a Big Comedy

SALESMAN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils greases

FOR SALE—Store and four room Enoch Sedgwick, 606 N. Illinois, good as new. 2204 N. Main, Herbert Cammack.

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miles north of Whitington on hard Write or see Mrs. Lucy Powers, Logan, box 225. 2376

STORAGE—For two cars.—Auto Beauty Shop.

FOR SALE Chevrolet Coupe baby carriage, ds, gas stove, Inquire C. Arnold Mulberry. 2156

LOST White Collie—Shetlan bull dog. This animal is spayed and kept as a pet. Strayed from Benton but belongs in Street and is doubtless trying to get home $10 reward will be paid for any information leading to her recovery Call Sing Hudson Phone 144, Benton, or Senator 118. 2312

LOST—Horn rimmed glasses Sunday; reward. Phone 41. 2312

LOST—Black traveling bag had in Country Club, vicinity—Earl Hock, 707 Highland.

Benton Country Club, Auto license Owner may have same by paying for

Line Worth Remembering

This helpful line, by Mr Philip Sidney, is hard to beat

"Fear is more ... than to fear." If ... out of the habit of being afraid, fear is little we need concern ...

What the World Is Doing

A Warning Warning

TWIN destiny which can be used in a number of different ways and once it is set up in one corner of the lake or river will give sport to children throughout the season. It can be made from an old upside wheel, an iron rod about [illegible] length of the wheel hub, a long rope and a piece of board [illegible] the boy can construct it in an hour. The most thrown for the dem[illegible] ... stop device. Cut a hole in the exactly larger than the hub of the post and set the post in the hub so that about 6 ft. of it remains above the tee. Three the chunks of wo[illegible]

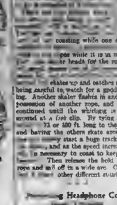
Trying Headphone Cords

Headphones often have a tendency to [illegible] around in the frames that hold them and the pieces the cord to kink, making it unlikely to put the set over the [illegible] difficult. [illegible] accurately tell as shown in the illustration. [illegible] the rubber cap of [illegible] phone body. Then by screwing tight the cord will be held in the shell, and the phones [illegible]

Women and Responsibility

The woman who can shoulder responsibility and bear burdens does not make a burden of it. She [illegible] her courage and assurance. These form the cultivation of self confidence is essential as a preparation for taking on of responsibility. It should be developed from earliest childhood [illegible]

Subscribe for the Evening News.



Nature's "Cold Storage"

[illegible] and the mass of snow, plastic [illegible] wilderness and [illegible] into cold-storage pork.—Youth's Com[illegible]

Protection

[illegible] Version

The Man Worth While

[illegible] ... of bachelors, across coals and physical ailments, and on account of church socials, weddings, funerals, etc. must be finished to the [illegible] in charge of your department before 10 a. m., on the morning of the week.—Good Housekeeping.

[illegible] ... ness, and grow hence by reflection. The the business of little minds; to think, but to whose heart is free. Shel[illegible]

LABOR LEADERS ASK REMOVAL OF ED DOLLINS

Claim Special Assessment Collector is Unfair to Organized Labor

Declaring that Ed Dollins, collector of [illegible] in order to [illegible] ... mains from the Trades Council, [illegible] Mayor Langley Saturday [illegible] week and requested that Dollins be removed from office.

Dollins, the [illegible] Mayor Langley, conducts [illegible] farm about two miles northeast of the city, and employs a man on the farm, who aside from doing whatever work is necessary on the farm, makes a business of coming into town with his team, and engages in hauling in competition to the members of the teamsters local. The man, the committee stated is neither a member of the teamsters local, nor does he pay the city license imposed by the city on the regular teamsters engaged in transfer work here.

They stated this practice had been going on for some time, and repeated efforts to get Dollins to stop the practice had failed.

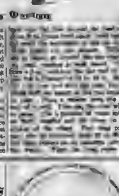
The office of collector of special assessments is an appointive one, the appointment coming directly from the mayor and city commissioners.

Inasmuch as a member of the present City Commission were union men, and their election to office was largely due to the labor vote which they received, the Trades Council felt that they should not keep a man in office who is charged with conducting his business of a nature altogether in opposition to organized labor.

The committee asked that steps be taken to replace Dollins with a man more favorable to organized labor.

Mayor Langley, after hearing the grievance, agreed to [illegible] ... the city Commissioners who would be instructed to call on Mr. Dollins and get his side of the case.

If some action is not taken at once in the matter, the men representing the Trades Council stated they would appoint a committee to appear before the Commissioners and demand that Dollins be removed at once.



Our Charge O. K.

WASHINGTON, Feb. [illegible]

able and railroads to keep the pamphlet in effect. The approval of the charge under which every Sleeping Car Pullman is the earmed an amount fifty per cent of

CANTON THEATRE

'MERTON OF THE MOVIES'

Charlie Ruggles

Thurs. Fri. Sat.

ROMANCE

You often hear people refer to the "dear old days of romance"—to the time when knights-errants roamed the earth to do honor to a lady's blue eyes

These folks say we are living in an age of realism

An age of "realism" where the human voice is hurled across the world without wires; where the temperature of Mars is taken more than thirty millions of miles away, where tons of steel and people ride easily and safely through the air or under the sea!

An age of realism! Why, this is the most romantic of all ages!

Th eadvertising columns of this paper are full of romance—of the romance of men who have devoted their lives to bringing new comforts, conveniences and pleasures for mankind

Advertisements tell these stories, not with the romantic exaggeration of a jongleur, but with the calm, simple words of sincerity. Here is a firm that spent millions to develop a product that makes your baby comfortable. Here is a company that has labored 50 years to cut a single hour of toil from your day's work. Here is a man who has searched the Seven Seas to produce a new flavor for your tooth [illegible]

[illegible] nance—this age is full of it. Not just empty romance, but t[illegible]e romance of achievements, of progress, of the [illegible]

Benton Evening News

LINCOLN GETS LIFE SENTENCE FOR MURDER

P.)—Warren J. Lincoln, the eccentric

which fired his punishment at the

verdict was the climax

of exciting his brother-in-law, John

GOOD BY FIRE

the city board here the truck

Herrin Officers To Be Tried For Neglect Of Duty

MARION, Ill., Feb. 20.—(By A. P.)

Walker and officers Lisenby and were assured by Mayor C. E. Anderson at a meeting of the Herrin city

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES MEET TODAY

the Senate: More Are

the three women members of the house plea for permission to continue talk

has occurred in the house so far this

ney with a dangerous weapon may be punished by death.

LOCAL SCHOOLS WILL SUFFER UNDER BUDGET

Annually Out of $8,

and Williamson.

The highest percentage

BENTON GIRL WINS PART IN BIG MOVIE

Mary Peckman to Join

Hollywood, where she will make her

Wick's picture, "The Romance of

OFFICERS START INVESTIGATION IN CAVE STORY

board of the state military officials

the cave man's gang, with Lewis H. Denhardt leading the military

preliminary investigation, had sub-

tary committee. Chairman Graham

ing the cost of the hearing.

PAELLO CITIZENS VISITS STRANGE NEWS OFFICE

Jane Jenkins announced today. The

served but it is believed there was

Miss Pearle Williams of West Frankfort was the guest of relatives

SPECIAL SCOUT MEETING TO BE HELD SUNDAY

the cave, for the purpose of for-

drive will

OFFICIAL OF PENITENTIARY UNDER ARREST

A warrant had also been sworn out

HOUSE CASE IN HANDS OF JURY TODAY

sister to Uncle Daniel Sale, Uncle

her many friends and relatives, was

be missed by friends and relatives.

power, according to

countries, have their boundaries shifted in accordance with increases and

NEW FIRE TRUCK NOT TO GO TO WEST CITY

ments are made by the West City of-

partments in the

resembled.

ed, "But in fairness to everyone, the

is the only

Mrs. E. F. De

is the guest of

Business Manager

Class Matter, January 2, 1922, at the Pos
Act of March 3, 1879.

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go to Hollywood as winners of screen tests and try-outs with Company. They are

Allkrop, Sauk Center, Minn., E. Hammel, New Albin, Ia

There is "Bunny" Harris has given a splendid part of first picture, playing op Fazenda in "The Old Then comes Francis Willard Fetner, and a number of

The president of one of the large companies put it, "About the way to motion pictures that I know of, everything considered, is winning of a contest. Co

" Chief amon Moore, Mary Philbin, Lois Wilson, Madge Bellamy, Corinne Griffith and Clara Bow.

The Cloverleaf American is proud of its contest winners. It wishes the best of luck to Miss Peckman on her journey to Hollywood and the American.

Miss Peckman was in the News office this morning and stated that she would leave this afternoon for Hollywood" ticket and expense check been received to cover the trip. News joins her many friends in wishing her the very greatest success.

THREE MEN GET $7,000 IN ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 10.—(By A. P.)—Three men, flourishing revolvers boarded a street car barn today, terrorized the crew and passengers and robbed Joseph Williams, 59 year old messenger of the State Bank of Wellston, a suburb and escaped with $7000 in cash.

NOTICE!

I have purchased the Auto Beauty Shop, 401 E. Main St., "rear." Have your car "Oiled up" for spring. ng and greasing at prices and work Cars called

Phone Main 774

WALTER FLANNIGAN

ART CLUB HOLDS VALENTINE PARTY AND LUNCHEON

The Domestic Art Clu

were other cupids who escorted them up the ich member was given half with instructions to

course of the a remembrance from a charter member, Mrs. R. D. Kirkpatrick, who is in Florida. After the lovely three course luncheon, the guests retired to the living room where an excellent program was enjoyed.

The first number of the program was a "Cupid Dance" and song by the following little ladies h Adel Broth erto ley, Jane Upchurch, Evelyn Dobey, Mildred Potter, Nina Phillips and Eli y. A vocal solo by Mr Dunn was also greatly appreciated. The followed a solo dance by Mildred This was a Russian dance in costume, and greatly displayed the little lady's ability. The "Clown Dance" n Dobey and Mil dred Kelly. The program was cl the "Cupid Dance."

Much credit is due the Home Economics department and the entertainment committee, who had the luncheon in charge for it was a success in every way. There were out of

PAGE OF

News office yesterday for the first time since last Tuesday when he was seen quite ill with an attack of La Grippe.

Although feeling considerably weakened as a result of the several

that the bright spring days would bring about a total recovery.

Shortly after coming to the office this morning, he suffered a relapse

vised him to remain until a complete recovery has been effe

Colder Predicted

Feb. 10.—(By A ness and rain pr by mild temperatures and fol colder weather will take the place of the premature spring and unusually high temperature which prevailing the past week States, said the Weath

Daughter Former Governor Lowden Will Wed Tonight

P.)—Miss Francis Lowden, daughter of former Governor and Mrs. Frank O. Lowden, and John B. Drake, Jr., son of John B. Drake, wealthy Chicagoan, will be married tonight at the Fourth Presbyterian church here by Doctor Frederick Shannon.

Hark, Hark, the Lark!

little daughter of the ... ment, then she ran to the matron. "Oh, Miss May," she said, "there's a sparrow up there, and he can't sit ... all he can't sit ... thing but

HOME RADIO BUILDERS FIND HARD PROBLEMS

Selection of Circuit Most Important; Then Build Set to Suit

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 10.—(By A. P.) red by the home radio constructor in the selection of the type of set to make, due to the numerous variations in circuits and the many methods of bringing about reception, have led many

perts have found. In addition, they said, the numerous designs to sets lends only to confusion, sometimes causing the prospective home builder to give up wha

"The first requisite in the construction of a home receiver," one ex to be used, and then place in the set only the best of material. But, the task of picking the circuit is the snag that sinks many high hopes. The builder, casting about for information, reads many articles on this or that circuit. finished he comes to that he is no nearer when he started

"To the experienced fan, of much of selection of a circuit, but what to expect from his efforts. In a crowded city like Chicago, where best type of receiver is the supers But this circuit is rather and no easy task for one who has had little experience in set construction. However, it is the ideal receiver where all that is to be desired in sets is wanted

"Probably next in line are the five-tube tuned radio frequency receivers in which oscillation of the radio frequency stages is controlled by neutralization or other method. Th will accomplish nearly as much on an outside antenna as does a superheterodyne on a loop aerial, although the selectivity is not so great. It has one more control than the 'super,' but its operation is slightly more simple

mentioning four-tube sets. best in the receiver using one sta f tuned radio frequency with a regenerative detector. This receiver not only is selective but has tume on both local and distance Control of the radio frequency stage is not so difficult as in the five-tube receiver and sometimes no form of stabilization is necessary, although neutralization, potentiometer or other method may be used. In connection with four-tube sets much success has been obtained by the use of negative feedback in the radio frequency stage.

"Three-tube sets, where both distance and volume are desired,

Numerous methods of obtaining generation may be employed, but probably the best and the smoothest in its operation is that where a so called tuning control is placed in the plate circuit of the detector circuit. This may be obtained by the use of a variometer or by a coil across which a variable condenser is shunted

generative set, when improperly handled causes much interference to other receivers. It is the type not suited for crowded districts, because of its tendency to radiate. If regeneration is desired in a receiver and only three tubes are planned, it would be well to leave off the second stage of audio frequency amplifier. This amplifier tends from reaching the antenna.

"Where only one tube and only for headphone reception, the if he expects to ob

have been designed for the purpose conserving tubes, and any of may be selected. However, some radioists believe that the home constructor will find it more difficult to make this type of receiver operate than he would the non-reflex set.

"To sum up probably the best all around set for volume, distance, and for an outside antenna, is the four-tube, radio frequency,

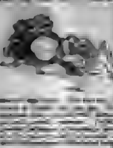
pical machine is wanted. However if the builder desires to spend er sum his ambitions will not be tisfied until he owns either a five set or a superheterodyne.

all available road near Rochelle long ago dropped a that contained the c boat. Just how the bedded in the ice is probably it was and the mass of it, solid fast and into cold-storage

What the World Is Doing

(As Seen by Popular Mechanics Magazine)

Rider Risks Life on Curve to Win Motorcycle Race



the racer scared by the passenger's head barely missing striking a flag post that had been in the ground to mark the course of the track

Scientists to Search Sea Jungles in Hunt for Giant Squid

Turning to the sea for one of the most extensive big-game hunts ever organized, a party of scientists from the New York Zoological society seeks to plumb the depths of the Sargasso Sea and other mysterious caverns of the ocean for trace of the giant squid and kindred creatures little known to man. The expedition, headed by Dr. William Beebe, has fitted the 280-foot steamer "Arcturus" with elaborate equipment for scientific research, including hooks, dredges, traps, diving apparatus, complete photographic layouts and a radio-broadcasting set, and contemplates a six months' tour. The

well as from the deeps of the sea.

Power of Sun Stored by Plants May Solve Fuel Problem

Although their progress is slow and unspectacular scientists are making dogged attempts to discover a way to make arti

uses every day in storing up energy in

ing sought in California by Dr. Herman A. Spoehr and a staff of research work-

Protecting Young Trees

Young trees can be protected against cold by means of old inner tubes a ings slipped around the trunks as shown in the drawing. In the case of very small trees the tubes can be slipped right

the branches, the latter being squeezed then tied with twine as shown. For larger trees casings may be used, as shown at the right. In the spring the coverings are taken off. After their removal a rubbery odor will be left on the bark, which insects and other vermin dislike.

Reducing Diameter of Spo

hood. However, this can readily be

and tools available

A piece of and-grooved board, a little to the scalp

from one end of the and the result will be board of a width to produce the des reduc on in diameter is not at hand be built up

A Razor Rack

is a little out of condition

Advertising been permitted to ment "Thegiver" at sixty per cent

TWO FORD CARS ARE STOLEN SINCE LAST SATURDAY

Officers Have No Trace of Thieves Who Operate on Public Square

An epidemic of car stealing seems to have again broken out in the city and two Ford cars have been reported stolen from the streets of Benton since Saturday night.

The thief it seems has a special liking for this particular type of

Saturday night a Ford coupe belonging to F. L. Skinner was stolen from its parking place on the southeast corner of the square.

Last night the Ford coupe belonging to Ma n J. Moore was stolen front of George McReynolds'

No trace of either car has been found.

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* WILLOW BRANCH *

We are having regular spring weather here now and the wind has been blowing like the March winds generally blow but the way the clouds are looking we are likely to have some rain in a few days

Some of the farmers in this vicinity have been planting potatoes and sowing oats while some of them have been burning off their

Prairie school Friday after

R. Lamp-

the roads in this

sister of Mr. Mr. Lemma Roth We are all sorry

man meeting this kind of an accident, and hope that he will get along all right.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McFarland of Hamilton county we tors with the latter's pa James Smith

Since we have begun writing the wind has changed from to another, and the weather ed off cooler again.

's birthday. He was out 16th

When he was a young man and went to school his school house was altogether different from the school h we have today. It was a log cabin with a fireplace in one end of it and the school days were longer then than they are today. The school began at an early hour in the morning and did not quit until the sun went down. Such was Abraham Lincoln's first school days. We remember reading one time where Abraham Lincoln borrowed a book from a neighbor and he read in the book until late hour in the night then he became tired and sleepy so he lay his book in a crevice between two logs of his father's cabin and in the night a storm came up and the book was wet through and through so he took the book back to the owner and told him what had happened he offered pay the owner for the book but he didn't have any money so he worked several days for the man in order to pay for his book. We could go ahead and tell you many things which Abraham Lincoln did but we don't want to take up too much space so therefore we will let everyone read about this

Safe Fat Reduction

Why be fat? The answer of most fat people is that constant dieting is hard, continual exercise is tiresome and exhaustive—and then, too, it might be harmful to force the weight down. That was the old-fashioned idea. Today in Marmola Prescription Tablets all these difficulties come. Just a pleasant little tab after each meal causes fat to vanish. method is easy, entails no dieting or exercising and has the added ad

start taking them now. short time you will be getting rid of fat steadily and easily without starvation diet or tiresome exercise. You will be comfortable and able to enjoy the food you like and want. Even after taking off many pounds there will be no flabbiness or wrinkles. You will feel 100 per cent better. All drug stores the world over sell Marmola Prescription Tablets at one dollar for a box, or the Marmola Company, General Motors Building, Detroit, Mich., will gladly send them to you on receipt of the pri

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PERSONALS

CHRISTIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLD MEETING

The Christian Missionary Society met in the Church Friday afternoon.

lovely refreshments, during the social hour. The long table was beautiful in ... of red, white

cake. Grace was given by Mrs. Hudelson. Mrs. J. L. ... was leader for the lesson period. The opening prayer was by Rev. Mason Greng. Mrs. Browning gave the preliminary talk on the general theme, "China" and called on Mrs. C. B. Hudelson for the intercessory prayer. Talks on the various phases of the lesson were made by Mrs. T. S. Browning, Mrs. Claude Brown, Mrs. J. E. Moore. Short readings from the World Call were given by several other members.

The closing number was a very interesting story read by Mrs. W. M. Booker, on the "Organization of a new Woman's Missionary Society in a Town Where there was none." Altogether it was a very instructive meeting.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH OFFICIALS TO HOLD MEETING

The officers and teachers of the First Christian Church Sunday school will meet in the dining room of the church on Wednesday evening, February 11th, at ...

The wives and husbands of officers and teachers are expected to be with ...

We will have luncheon ... 6:30. The social and business hour will follow.

... Division superintendent will speak as she may about her work.

Rev. S. E. Fisher will talk briefly on "Why We Go To Sunday School." W. E. Campbell will speak on the growth of the Sunday school. The superintendent will talk briefly on "The Teachers Reward."

We will have some very interesting contests. The hour is 6:30, Wednesday evening.—William J. Walter, Supt.

LEGION AUXILIARY

... McCollum Post met Monday evening in regular session in the Legion

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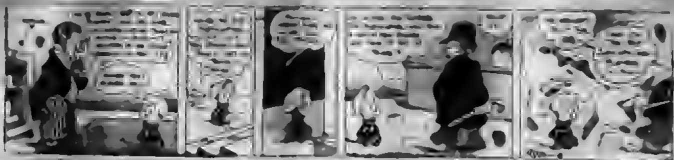


The Capp's Family Coming to the Capitol

Three vaudeville artists—Singers, Dancers and Musicians—Will be Here Tomorrow Night. You Can't Afford Miss Seeing and Hearing Them

Hall. The president, Miss Pearl McCollum, presiding. Prayer was offered by the chaplain, Mrs. Wm. Denny. Several Bulletins from the State officers were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Adamson and considered by the

for all of the regular standing committees common to orders of this kind.

visiting the sick or sorrowing ones, giving relief where needed among its own membership or that of the ex-service men, and their families, and many other activities peculiar to Legion ...

MARTHA LYNN TO SPEAK TO DuQUOIN CLUB WOMEN

The four federated women's clubs of DuQuoin will have Miss Martha Lynn Connole give their Americanization address on the 17th of February, in an open meeting at the Township High School at 8:15. All members of the Benton Women's Club are invited to be present, and any gentlemen who ... is open to all

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR ...

A party was given Saturday in honor of the ninth birthday of Miss Vandalee Schneiderwin. About twenty of her little friends were present to enjoy the evening. Lovely refreshments ... served. In a very interesting contest, Margie Williams won first prize, Louise Vaughn second, Virginia Walker third, and Ruth Corn fourth. ...

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis W. Krieckhaus returned to Champaign last evening, after spending the week end with Mrs. Krieckhaus' parents, Judge and Mrs. W. M. Hart.

Miss Donna Ludlow returned ... her studies in Carbondale yesterday after spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mary Ludlow.

See the Home Millinery for your up-to-date hats. 307 N. McLeansboro. adv

T. A. Dougherty of Clay City was a visitor in Benton yesterday.

Dr. H. A. Vise made a professional call to Valier yesterday.

Floyd Hall left yesterday for Mount ..., where he will visit with relatives.

Matt Uni of Royalton who was injured in a mine several days ago, underwent an operation in the local hospital this morning.

John R. Davis and "Doc" Netho of the high school faculty were visitors at the Millikin University, Decatur, over the week end.

... at ... Gift Shop, 114 W. Church St.

... of Benton, who have ... here for the past few ...

114 W. Church St.

Mrs. T. J. Moore and Mrs. Kenneth ... are spending the day in ...

LINCOLN GETS LIFE SENTENCE

(Continued from First Page)

State's Attorney J. Bruce Arnell of Aurora.

Lincoln, according to the confession, had had trouble for months with his wife and brother-in-law. The fatal quarrel was precipitated by an attempt of his wife, he said, to poison him with ...

... sickness" when he poured the contents of the cup with the intention of having it analyzed.

Becoming angry at her brother's words, the wife is said to have gone into her bedroom, seized a revolver and shot her brother three times. It was then, Lincoln said, that he feared she would turn on him in her frenzy and he grabbed a stove poker and felled her.

Then he said he set about ... the two bodies ... took them to the greenhouse furnace where he burned them and the blood-stained clothing, explaining the next day that they had quarreled and his wife and brother had left.

Almost from the night of the murder, Lincoln said, he began planning his own disappearance, which would take on the aspects of a murder and implicate his wife and her brother. In April he carried out the plan and then traveled east, watching the progress of the search for his body ...

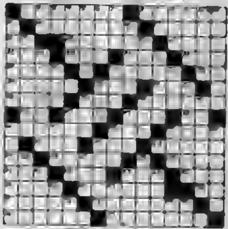
the house, opened the windows of his ... stained the ... took his night dress ... together with a glove of his wife, ... them and dropped them in a well in a field near by. He left an Indian club in the greenhouse ... ered with stains ...

... his brother, Edward ... told the police of ...

when the police began ... of what they thought ...

tinuing, descriptions ... no trace of them found.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 60



Drs. Haley and Knowles

(Photo of Dr. Haley)

(Dr. Knowles in charge)

Will Be in Benton

HUDSON HOTEL

Thursday, February 19

HOURS—8 A. M. TO 5 P. M.

ONE DAY ONLY—RETURN EVERY TWO WEEKS

SPECIALISTS, who devote their entire time to the treatment of Men, Women and Children as follows

STOMACH, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels, Gall Stones, Constipation, ..., Abdominal Troubles, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Female Troubles, Neuralgia, Deafness, Varicose Veins, Catarrh in Head and Throat, Leg Ulcers, ...

Epilepsy, Fits, Heart Troubles.

PILES & RECTAL FISTULA ...

... odorm. No cutting.

EYES—Tested and glasses ... Granulated Lids, Conjunctivitis ... Painful Eyes ...

... and do our own fitting.

PAY US AS YOU ARE ABLE

AVOID UNNECESSARY ...

Most operations can be avoided.

If you have been treated by one or several doctors, and have failed to get well, do not give up all hope until you see us, and get our opinion. We may be of service to you.

CONSULTATION, EXAMINATION AND ADVICE FREE

REMEMBER you are given a thorough scientific, personal EXAMINATION FREE OF CHARGE, absolutely no cost to you, and if you take treatment, we can arrange it so you can take it, whether rich or poor.

Write or call,

DR. R. E. HALEY, M. D.

Buckner Man Is Arrested Last Night By County Officers

County officers last night arrested Lester Greathouse of Buckner, and brought him to this city where he was placed in the county jail to await a hearing on a charge of impersonating a deputy sheriff.

Greathouse it was stated had been seen several times of late ...

Expert Silversmiths of India

... Indian silversmiths are famous for their skill and ... in fashioning objects from beaten metal, and the beaten work of gold and silver adorning their temples in India is among the finest examples of the art in the world.

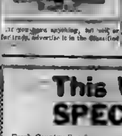
Miss Ann Joplin, who has been very ill, is reported much better this morning.

Miss Mary Francis Mark of West Frankfort was a visitor here yesterday.

Dr. H. A. Vise made a professional call to Nason this morning.

Miss Neva Watson has returned from a trip to St. Louis and Chicago, where she bought new stock for the Style Shop.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine



If you have anything ... sell or for trade, advertise it in the Classified ...

Fruit Growers Will Meet Here Tomorrow

Prof. Brock and Chandler of the University will meet with Franklin County Fruit Growers here tomorrow. The forenoon session will be held in ...

latest method of pruning, beginning at the Kelly Orchard by the ... School house west of Benton on the ... road at 9:30 a. m.

The afternoon meeting will be held ... Bureau office where a ... will be held ... growing in the county ... this meeting.

This Week SPECIALS

Fresh Country Sorghum $1.50

... 35c

... 20c

The Cash Grocery Store

The Home of Quality Goods at Low Prices

WITH SPANISH WAR VETERANS

Classified Ads

GROWTH THAT IS INDEPENDENT

Several matter

at the meeting

The Classified Column with set

FOR RENT—Two rooms, with four

Beauty Shop.

LOST

LOST—White female Boston bull

STAR Theatre

Monday - Tuesday

10c and 20c

Pete Morrison

"PIONEER GOLD"

A Western That Keeps You Guessing

WANTED

FOR SALE—Home Beach cottage

FOR SALE—Stock Ford coupe,

1926 Apollo $65—Stock Ford coupe,

Bonus to July.

GROWTH THAT IS INDEPENDENT

Two much praise can be

"Movies of the Movies," which will

range of the depleted conditions of re-

serves throughout the world, that our

surplus production in the 1925 crop

will find a road market" Should that

cut a figure in supplying the

crease requirements

countries. Production there, however, will probably increase slowly because of the shortage of draft animals. So many horses and cattle were

"All the countries I visited are no-

tively engaged in propaganda to in-

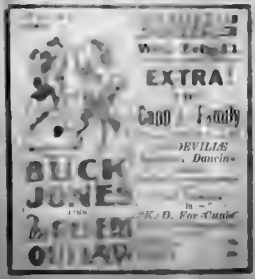
crease their own yield of foodstuffs

A decided shortage in the world's per

capita of cereals in 1924 has given

Constipation

Pep-Elixo



10¢

Its coolness and mellow "*body*" are a revelation to pipe smokers

Granger Rough Cut

Benton Evening News

BENTON, ILLINOIS, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1925

W. FRANKFORT MAN FALLS HEIR TO FORTUNE

Gus Nation, Restaurant Owner, and Brother to Divide Nineteen Million Dollars.

Gus Nation, who conducts a restaurant in West Frankfort, will not be in that business much longer—that is, if his fondest hopes are realized—and those hopes lie in the wording of a certain will now on file in the courts of Fort Worth, Texas

Nation has been notified that he and his brother, Robert, of Jasonville Ind., are joint heirs to a fortune estimated at nineteen million dollars, thru the death of the uncle, Edward Nation of Fort Worth.

The uncle lived with Mr. Nation's folks when he (Gus) was a small boy, but later went to Texas where he became rich. According to the terms of his will, Gus and Robert will get nine and one-half million dollars each. Two sisters, one in Tyrone, Okla., and the other in Kentucky, were not included

Gus Nation located in West Frankfort five years ago and bought a restaurant. Previous to that time he worked several years in the mines at Eldorado. He has a wife and four children to share with him his good fortune.

Nation says he has not seen uncle since he was a lad ten years of age. He and his brother Robert, are now on their way to Fort Worth to claim their part of the estate as named in the will.

FRANKLIN FAIR DATES ANNOUNCED

Aug. 11-15 Are Dates Chosen at Meeting Held in Springfield Today.

The Illinois State Fair Association meeting in Springfield today, announced dates for most of the county and district fairs which will be held in Illinois next summer and fall.

As has been the custom for years, the Gallatin County Fair at Shawneetown will start the ball to rolling, its dates being July 21

The Franklin County Fair, which heretofore was next to last on the list with October dates, has been given August 11-15 as the dates for the fair this year.

Heretofore the October dates have been too uncertain. While October is conceded one of the best months in the year to hold a fair if the weather conditions are favorable, yet the fair board decided not to take a chance this year which resulted in the dates being advanced.

Every effort is to be made this year to give Franklin county the best fair it has ever had. Several added inducements will be [illegible], according to Secretary Nolen, who is recognized as one of the best secretaries in the state. When the time nears for the fair Secretary Nolen puts his whole heart and soul into the enterprise in an effort to give the people their moneys worth.

[illegible] Edwards, Albion, Sept. [illegible]

[illegible] 6-19; Richland, Olney; [illegible]line, Harrisburg, July [illegible] Anna, Aug. 25-28; [illegible] 18-21; William-[illegible]

WOMAN'S CLUB TO VISIT ART EXHIBIT AT W. FRAKFORT

See Illinois First" is Slogan of Woman's Club Movement

Folks at West Frankfort are enjoying an art exhibit of rare beauty which is being conducted in the art galleries of the West Frankfort High School building under the auspices of the Woman's club of that city

Extensive preparations have been made for this wonderful exhibit, and as a result the ladies have on display a wonderful collection of art portraying the beauty spots of Illinois, of which there are many

In holding this exhibition the ladies are backing a state wide movement, which has as its slogan, "See Illinois First" and which is hoped will create a greater desire among its citizens to become better acquainted with the scenic landscape and the wonderful history of Illinois.

The public in general are invited to attend and tomorrow the Benton Womens club have been especially invited to attend the exhibit as the guests of the West Frankfort club

One of the sights that is of mythical interest is that of the Cahokia Mounds in the vicinity of East St. Louis. Every sight of these giant earth formations refers our minds back to the pioneer days and causes us to reflect upon the strategy that our fore fathers used in settling this portion of the state. The mounds are beautiful especially in the spring and summer seasons because of the native vegetation and shrubbery growing up about them

Giant rock formations about S[illegible]ana give this part of the Mississippi banks a peculiar charm, for there are found Old Indian Head and the Twin Sisters. Old Indian Head is a giant rock formation and is well known to [illegible] Head trai[illegible]

One of the loveliest views to be found anywhere within the state of Illinois is pictured from Peoria Heights. Broad vista of the fertile fields of Illinois bottoms are in sharp contrast to the wooded cliffs from which the view is photographed. The old mill near Kankakee is a mark of pride to that locality. The beauty of the pali[illegible] rival those of the Hudson. The city [illegible] des of the Mississippi above Alton lake of Hillsboro gives a fine example of the way in which a natural body of water may be utilized as a portion of a city park and recreational ground our state institutions the campus and Of the buildings and surroundings of [illegible] here S[illegible] Dekalb is pictured in a group of lovely scenes chosen as a fine example of combining planted landscape and natural growt[illegible]

ELKS CONFER 2D DEGREE ON LARGE CLASS

Each Candidate Admitted That He Got All That Was Coming to Him

[illegible] night, February 10, 1925, [illegible]ong be remembered by the large crowd present at one of the most enjoyable meetings in the history of Benton Lodge No 1234, B. P. O. Elks

Besides conferring the second degree upon a large class of Benton's finest young men, it was Past Exalted Rulers Night, and Exalted Ruler Jas Philp, appointed P. C. Heyer as presiding officer

After addresses by Hon. J. Nick Perrin and Commodore Vahlkamp, of Belleville, and C. D. Midkiff, of Harrisburg, district deputy, the lodge was turned over to "Slim" Seeber and "Stag" Rushing, who had charge of the second [illegible] work, and each can-[illegible]

[illegible] ing line in the best of humor from the start to the close of the work

[illegible] close of the meeting all par-[illegible] ne lunch served.

WORKERS MAY REACH CAVE PRISONER SOON

Amplifier Fails to Record Any Sound From Within Cave Today.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 11.—(By A P.)—Hope for the rescue soon of Floyd Collins the imprisoned cave explorer ran high early today with the diggers in the rescue shaft working through a dry sandy stratum presumed by geologists to over-lie the roof of Collins prison. Extra precautions for timbering the shaft were made to protect the workmen should the roof of the tunnel suddenly be broken thru

A definite connection between the rescue shaft and the tunnel was expected to be reached very soon. H. T. Carmichael, superintending the sinking of the shaft said

[illegible] am prepared at almost any time to find definite connections between the shaft and the cave," Varmachael said

For the first time the amplifier test crossing the electric lighting wires let down to Collins failed completely this morning to record anything in the head phones. The last successful [illegible] at midnight repeated the "breathing" sound at the regular rate of eighteen per minute but H. C. Lane, manager [illegible] the electrical apparatus at the Cave [illegible] the tests indicated that the globe was out of Collins reach or was broken.

Twenty hours was given by the rescue workers this morning as the maximum time they expected to take to extricate Collins. They were hopeful, however, of reaching him much [illegible]

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 11.—(By A. P.)—Barring unlooked for developments, indications this afternoon were that Floyd Collins would not be extricated before late tonight from Sand Cave

SCHOLARSHIP IS OFFERED FOR BEST ESSAYS

Sixth Annual Competition Open to High Schools, Announced By Highway Board.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11 An offer of four years at college with all expenses paid is contained in the announcement made here today by the Highway Education Board of the sixth annual good roads essay contest, in which all high school students are eligible to participate

In line with administration policies tending toward economy students are being requested to write essays [illegible] the subject "Economies Resulting from Highway Improvement," having in the two preceding years written papers on subjects dealing with highways and religion and highways and home li[illegible]

The contest in the various states usually is sponsored by one of the leading universities or the state department of education, which a[illegible] the announcement of the contest and at its termination names competent judges to determine the best essay from that state. This applies also to the District of C[illegible]

The principal prize is a four years university scholarship, offered by H. S. Firestone, of Akron, Ohio, a member of the Highway Education Board, of which [illegible] Education, [illegible] man. This scholarship, which in [illegible] past five years has been won by three young women, and two young men,

JOHN HOULE "NOT GUILTY," JURY VERDICT

Only One Hour, Jury Vindicates Man for Killing

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty" in the case of Johnnie Houle, charged with the murder of "Foxy" Brown of West Frankfort

Attorneys Tim Cantrell and Marion Hart, although receiving no fee for their services, having been appointed by the Court to defend him, put up so strong a defense that only took the jury one hour to return the verdict. Messrs. Cantrell and Hart are both young attorneys but give promise of becoming leading lights of their profession

Mr Cantrell is a son of the late Judge W. S. Cantrell who for several years was one of the leading attorneys of the state, and Mr. Hart is a son of Judge W. H. Hart of this city. Nuf-Ced.

TED'S CAFE CHANGES HANDS TOMORROW

Deal is Closed Today Which Makes Carlinville Men New Owners.

Now Ted's gone and done it Sold out lock, stock and barrel, and we can't say "Let's eat at Ted's" any more, because to-morrow there will be new faces behind the bar, and perhaps new dainty fingers to get in our coffee.

Ted has been here so long slinging hash to the starving public, that all those who knew him learned to love him, and learned how to eat most anything and cure dyspepsy at the same time. Ted doesn't know just yet what he will do or where he will go, let us rest assured however that he will do something, because it never was in that blond boys make-up not to do anything for very long at a time, even if it wasn't nothing more than sitting behind a desk and watching the others do the work.

Nevertheless we regret to see him go, for many has been the time that a starving, famished fellow, citizen has had the wrinkles taken out and the thirst quinched, and the hair burned off his tongue from the steaming hot dinners from Ted's bountiful kitchen.

Here's wishing you luck Ted, old boy, what ever you do or wherever you go, but we hope you stay with us.

Ted's Cafe has been purchased by Cerar and Gassner of Carlinville, who come to the city highly recommended, as first class restaurant men and enterprising gentlemen

Each of these two young men have had several years experience in the restaurant business and propose to make the recently purchased business one of the finest in Southern Illinois.

The new proprietors will take charge in the morning, and will be open from 6 a. m. until 2 a. m

No changes in arrangements will be made at once, but Mr. Cerar stated today that complete new equipment had been ordered, and would likely be here in about three weeks, ready for installation.

The men have purchased one of the best restaurant locations in this part of the country and will no doubt do their share towards holding up the reputation of the establishment

Buncombe Man To Celebrate 100th [illegible]

[illegible] of "Grandfather" Elkins, near Buncombe, in Johnson County, will be celebrated with a gathering of near-cen-[illegible]

COUNTY BAR ASSN. HOLDS ANNUAL FEED

Members and Their Wives Enjoy Dinner At Benton Country Club.

Members of the Franklin county [illegible] held their annual banquet at the Country Club last night and in spite of the very disagreeable weather very few members of the association were ab[illegible]

The meeting was presided over by Judge W. F. Dillon, president of the Association. and a number of very interesting talks were given, including a talk by Judge Eagleton and Judge Miller

A delightful dinner was served followed by what is spoken of as one of the most enjoyable programs [illegible] given by the association in which Moses Pulverman delivered a classic on "Why I Left Kentucky"

Attorney G. A. Hickman's address on "Troubles of a Lawyer" was spoken of as a scream from start to fin-[illegible]

Then followed a round table discussion by the ladies on "Worrying with a Lawye[illegible]

It has ever been intimated that an added entertainment came when Attorney Bob Smith, danced the Hula Hula, and Assistant States Attorney Neely F Glenn did the Shimmy

A number of songs by the members [illegible] heir guests, lead by Judge T. J [illegible] man, made up part of the evening entertainment, and it is reported the entire assembly stayed long into the night dancing the Virginia R[illegible] and other old-time swings to the chanting music of "Ye Olde Tyme [illegible]

DOCTOR LENDS HELPING HAND

Dodge and Ford Go Over Embankment Near Christopher.

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Vise, while on a professional call to Valier last night were called upon to play the part of the Good Samaratian to a fellow traveler, who perchance had fallen by the way side, or at least his car had [illegible]d had suffered the loss of a wheel in the mix-up.

The accident happened on the state road near Christopher about 8:30 last night. Standing out in the heavy down pour of rain, beside his broken D[illegible] car, Dr. Vise says he saw a man waving his arms frantically and calling for help. The doctor and his wife drew up along side the wrecked car and the man beside it told them he had been run into by a Ford coupe driven by two women whose names he did not know. He stated that in the heavy rain he had dimmed his lights while attempting to pass the coupe, and that instead of the other parties dimming their lights they ran into him, knock-[illegible]

At the bottom of the embankment lay the Ford coupe, in which the women were riding, [illegible] name as Ed Painter and said he lived [illegible] r and was on his way home. [illegible] asked Dr. Vise to pull him into a garage at Christopher, stating that [illegible] had already taken the two women into town, he did not think either of them were injured

The Doctor reports that he took compassion on the man, took him and his car into Christopher. The man, he states, displayed his appreciation by failing to express any sort of thanks and by breaking a glass in the doctors [illegible]

Clemency Refused Condemned Men

[illegible] IELD. Ill. Feb. 11 [illegible]

COOLIDGE AND DAWES GET O. K. FROM CONGRESS

Final Result of Last November Election Now a Matter of History

W[illegible]

Congress [illegible] joint conference assembled."

The [illegible] by the Senate Presid[illegible] tempore Cummins to [illegible] f the electoral votes [illegible] Coolidge of Mass [illegible], and Charles G. Dawes of Illi[illegible] have been elected and the [illegible] y made in the journal of the House, thus closing the political contest in accordance with the constitutional requirements. Barely one half an hour was set aside for the ceremony. Tellers of the House and Senate took charge of the ballots and opened the envelopes in alphabetical order. The result was announced as follows

[illegible] whole number of votes cast for president, 531. Calvin Coolidge, 3[illegible], John W. Davis, 1[illegible] LaFollette, 13.

Whole number of votes cast for [illegible] Charles [illegible] Charles W. Bryan, [illegible] 13

AGED CITIZEN OF FRANKFORT FOUND DEAD

Body of J. B. Henson Found on the Street Early This Morning.

News was received this morning [illegible] West Frankfort of the death of [illegible] the city's oldest citizens, Joe B. Henson, who was found dead on the corner of Bryan and Main streets [illegible] o'clock to[illegible]

The sudden death, is thought to be the result of an attack of heart trouble. Just how long the body had had been lying there is unknown. Outside of a slight erasion over the left eye, the body showed no other bruises, and it is not thought that there was any foul play connected with the incident

Mr. Henson was 63 years of ag[illegible] and had been prominent in local politics for the past thirty years. having [illegible]rved as constable for over twenty years, and has for the past eight years held the office of justice of the peace.

He at one time held an office of Deputy Sheriff of the county, and was one among the first men to hold the office of village attorney for West Frankfort, in its early history

The deceased is a brother to T. A. Henson. Pros[illegible]

GOV. SMALL COMPLETES STATE BUDGET

Will Ask General Assembly For Appropriation of [illegible]

[illegible] A. P.)—Governor Len Small today completed the state budget for pre[illegible] the General Assembly, [illegible] king for a total appropriation for [illegible] purposes of $273,396,898 as against $331,631,215 asked for two years ago.

According to an analysis of the budget prepared for the press by the Governor, "this showed a reduc-[illegible] t[illegible]ree million dollars after eliminating the appropriation of fi[illegible] million dollars for the soldiers' compensation bonds. [illegible]

"Requested increases", in appropri[illegible] t[illegible]ns contained in the budget over the amount of two years ago, the analysis said, "are found almost entirely in those asked for the charitable institutions. Increases in the cost of commodities going to those [illegible]

BENTON MAY BE MEMBER HARD ROADS LEAGUE

Fans Will Discuss the Plans at Meeting in Elks Hall Tomorrow Afternoon.

Last week was perhaps a [illegible] time to discuss matters of baseball inasmuch as the atmospheric surround-[illegible] ing has considerable to do [illegible] interest taken in a subject, taking into consideration the [illegible] that most of those who [illegible] the national pastime or who [illegible] setting in the blazing sun on [illegible] bleecher seat, while the smell of [illegible] ing roast, soda pop and peanuts fill the air, are of the opinion that the warm balmy days will soon come again and that there is [illegible] end, any ways soon, or at [illegible] some fanatic has had sufficient tim[illegible]

The question now being conside[illegible] by several influential business m[illegible] the city is whether or not one good baseball club for the city of [illegible] ton made up of the very best t[illegible] to be had in the [illegible] better all the way [illegible] create more general interest [illegible] ball than two or three teams [illegible] ability, playing less [illegible]

The league if [illegible] carried through [illegible] composed of base ball clubs fro[illegible] the surrounding ci[illegible] hard roads within the [illegible] certain number of miles [illegible] Illinois. Each team [illegible] the towns[illegible] from each ci[illegible] the best talent there is in that particular locality.

Several of the most prominent [illegible] ness men and base ball enthusi[illegible] in the city have been approac[illegible] the subject and express [illegible] as being heartily in favor of the [illegible]osition.

[illegible] that would be really worth while, and at the same time have a tendency to create a spirit friendly rivalry between the cities thereby bring about a [illegible]

[illegible] practically nothing as the [illegible] from each game will more than pay the expenses and salaries of all [illegible]

The Hard Roads connecting all cities in the league, it has been figured out will eliminate the greatest expense of maintaining a base ball [illegible] that of railroad fares and hotel bills. All travel will be done by auto, and each team will return to their home [illegible]

[illegible] yet in its infancy, has struck every one to whose attention it has been brought as being a very likely one. Many other [illegible] are yet to be worked out, if Benton is to become a member of the Hard Road League which in all [illegible] will be organized this spring in Southern Illinois

A number of persons who are interested in the movement have suggested that a meeting be called to take [illegible] at the Elks hall to-morrow [illegible] at 3 o'clock, in which it is [illegible] on hands and lend their [illegible] as to how best to go about the [illegible] ization of the Hard Roads [illegible]

Dr. W. H. Gilmore [illegible] morning, from Chicago [illegible] tended a meeting of the [illegible] aminers of the state.

Sweepstakes Winner of 1924 Pig Club Writes of Her Visit to City of Chicago.

By ALMA KERN

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fields, the public is going to ... a more frequent means of

Feb. 11.— ... ty farmers, ... of

... of the seed is of the Illinois 13-19 and Virginia varieties and is being sold at an average price of around

used as a local agency in the shipping of the seed.

From a small beginning in 1918, soybeans have increased rapidly in

tion, largely as a result of work done by farm advisers of the county ... nois Agricultural College in stressing the value of legumes in crop

... were grown in the county. This increase in the acreage of legumes has been reflected in better crop rotations, improved soils, higher crop yields and a large ...

... of the most important things of the morning was the Health contest

... the boys and girls ... teams gave demonstrations. Then each state headed by its leader visited various parts of the Exposition at ... the National committee on Boys and Girls Club work reviewed the club exhibits.

In the evening we went to the plant guests of Thos. E. Wilson at a six o'clock dinner. Special entertainment, music and vaudeville was provided by Wilson and Co. I'll wager the most

... his wonderful tricks. The interesting speeches of the evening was delivered by Thos. E. Wilson, Hon. John S. Martin, Minister of Agriculture, and Hon. Howard M. ... of Agriculture

at 8:00 p. m. we left for Exposition grounds and paraded in arena of In... Amphitheatre after which we went back to the hotel with sleepy eyes and tired feet, but with happy hearts.

... is known to club members ... Stock yard day. ... I went to Armour and Company's packing plant and battalion No. 2 went to Swift and Company's packing plant. We were shown through the whole plant of Armour and Company. Some of the girls and

killed, nevertheless, we all enjoyed the trip, for we saw the whole process the meat goes through from the time the animals go into the slaughter pen until it is packed in boxes ready to ship to different parts of the world. We were guests of Armour and Company at luncheon at 2:00 p. m. Home Economics demonstrations was given for the benefit of the club girls.

In the afternoon Battalion No. 1 attended the free motion picture show as guests of Balaban and Katz ... the Chicago Theatre, and ... 2 attended the show given at the Tivoli Theatre. Then we returned to the hotel to get ready for the Club Member's Grand Rally Banquet which was to be held at 6:30 in the ball room of the Drake Hotel. A welcome to Chicago was ... representative of the Chicago Association of Commerce.

We were addressed by ...

... ren, U. S. Dept. of Ag...

... 4 blk 4 Wasters 8th add to West Frankfort.

Ruth E. Parkhill and wife to Gertrude Fitzgerrell, warranty deed, con $1, lot 10 D. M. Parkhill's add to Benton.

Ruth E. Parkhill to Frank Black, warranty deed, con $1, pt SW NE

W. W. Huffman to J. E. Hindman, warranty deed, con $1 J. C. Sniders

... warranty deed $200, lot 48, Crawford

... revised add to West Frankfort.

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HARRISBURG, Ill., Feb. 11.—(By A. P.)—Principals of high schools in

... burg high school, is president of the association and Prof. Ralph E. Stringer, principal of the Herrin township high school, is secretary and treasurer

addresses, etc. that were broadcast. If you did, I know you couldn't help but enjoy it, for we were having such a

club members will ever forget our banquet and rally.

The Illinois club winners were entertained with a breakfast by the I.

Great Northern Hotel. During the morning we visited the new Field Museum and the Chicago Board of Trade. Then we visited Montgomery Ward and Battalion No. 2 visited Sears, Roebuck and Company. After they served us luncheon we went to Lincoln Park where we saw the Zoo with its roaring lions, tigers, wildcats ... tering monkeys, elephants and all kinds of animals. We also went thru the beautiful tropical gardens. The National livestock Producers Association gave a banquet to the entire delegation at 6:00 p. m. at the Morrison Hot...

Thursday we visited the International Harvester Co. We went thru the plant, and not only saw the Agricultural implements of modern times

... ed with a real country dinner on ... speeches were made by Mr. Cyrus McCormick E. T. Meredith, Frank O. Lowden and several other noted men. Thursday evening our final banquet was given by the Chicago railroads. Many interesting talks were made. At 7:15 p. m. the greatest event of our young lives occurred. We went to the Exposition grounds where we paraded and sang the songs and gave the yells of each state for Hon. Calvin Coolidge, president of the United States. This was the first time that

most of us, for ... in return to our

reports given out here.

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 11.—Miss Mary J. Ryan, missing University of Illinois freshman, has not returned to Cairo and her father, John Ryan, a terminal foreman of the Mobile and Ohio railroad, left at noon today for Champaign to aid in the investigation. Miss Ryan, an honor ... dent of the Cairo high school and very

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for which there is no limited capacity and no unfavorable surroundings.

We are authorized to announce that B. N. WEBB is a candidate for justice of the peace

We are authorized to announce that JAMES D. (JIMMY) MILLER is a candidate for the

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... the will of the voters ... at the spring primary or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that ARLO NEUNLIST is a candidate for Constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at their primary or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that W. E. DORRIS is a candidate for constable of Benton township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at their pri...

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... Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion.

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion are ... due to acidity—acid ... not, as most folks believe, a lack of digestive juices. He ... that an excess of hydrochloric ...

... sour food, belch ... heartburn, flatulence, water- ... all digestive

... continue this for relief often follows ... remove the gas-making ... liver, stimulate the kidneys, promote a free flow of juices.

Has a Bald Head

... head and neck of the bald ibis gives is heightened by the bright red coloring of the top of the head and the pale blue of the neck and sides of the head. ... The general plumage is metallic green. This is a native of the mountainous parts of South Africa. It is comparatively little known.

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BAKING POWDER

Granger Rough Cut

MISSES DOBBINS ENTAIN A. R. C. CLUB

There were twenty-five members and one guest, Miss Tyra Christensen, at the meeting.

Miss Christensen gave a very interesting talk on the City as compared to the Country.

Refreshments of club sandwiches, pickles and coffee were served.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION AT CAPITOL TONIGHT

As a special added attraction, Manager Keighley of the Capitol theatre, has secured the Capps Family for tonight only, in connection with the regular program.

This group of singers, dancers and musicians, and have made a great hit with audiences in other Southern Illinois towns.

MRS. HUCKINS HOSTESS TO SEWING CLUB

Mrs. G. J. Huckins of the McCreary Apartments entertained the Sewing Club of which she is a member, yesterday afternoon. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

A lovely two-course luncheon was served by the hostess.

The guests were Mrs. H. B. Retford, Mrs. J. R. Brown and Mrs. Herbert Westerland.

MRS. GILMORE ENTERTAINS

Mrs. W. H. Gilmore entertained a few friends at luncheon Tuesday at her home on North Main street. The table decorations were in keeping with the Valentine idea. Following the enjoyable luncheon, tables of bridge were formed.

COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS SOCIETY

Directors of the Franklin Tuberculosis Society met in the First Baptist church Tuesday afternoon. The annual report of the seal sale was given which will be published in detail later.

Save Money by attending the odd lot sale at The Herrin Supply Co. They are closing up all odd lots at Very Low Prices. 3411

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Fox, Mrs. Allen Pope of DuQuoin, spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Ayres.

All members of Benton Camp of the Home Hall Tuesday, February 10 at 1:00.—J. J. Glover. 6202

Farina.

See the Home Millinery for your up-to-date hats. 5691 Marion Sanders, adv.

Mrs. Harry Bass of Thompsonville was a visitor in Benton yesterday.

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Woodland Dairy, phone 788. 6202

See these sweet Lollypops at Mechlers' Gift Shop, 114 W. Church St. 3311

Mrs. Calvin Wood of West Frankfort was the guest of Mrs Henry Dorris yesterday.

Caps and Gowns for rent. Mechlers' Gift Shop, 114 West Church St.

Judge W. H. Hart is transacting business in Coulterville today.

Mrs. Carl Harkins spent the day with her parents Clements and family on North 8th Street.

Boys, have you seen these lovely Valentines at Mechlers' Gift Shop, 114 W. Church St.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of Benton are at the Marquette.

The Herrin Supply Co., is closing up all Remnants of Certain goods etc. at 1-2 price. They are also [illegible] Silk Hose at $1.00 pair 341.

We Have Been In Business 6 Months

The Peoples Cut-Price Shoe Store Has Been ALIVE 6 Months

And folks—it would do your heart good to see the same people come back and bring a friend to get some of our values.

We pleased them—and that gives us a thrill for our whole theory is that if we really serveour customers better—they buy more and more of us—and we'll grow. Don't you just love to see things grow—and grow better?—we do.

And so—we got pains—aches — growing pains — a grand sign for you and us—

We're going to bust out with a more extensive line of shoes and patterns at

$5.85 and Down

So if you decide you must economize this month—give us a look—we'll give you the best value on earth (what a statement) for the money you spend here.

No matter what you think or what others say—we've got the prices and the name

Burkhart's

(For 60 Years)
GUARANTEES THE QUALITY

Don't be an ostrich—keep your eyes open—your mind free of prejudice—walk in—we're glad to see you and WE WILL NOT WORRY YOU TO DEATH—for we don't want your money unless you are completely satisfied you are actually SAVING money. We mean every word of this ad.

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Myers School Notes

We want to call attention that very few of the parents visited the schools. We invited to visit us.

Wm. O'Toole 99, Virgil Aleen Watt 98, Frances

Seventh, Hazel Flatmyer, Martha Kinzer, Ruth Miller, Glen O'Toole, Carl Mazie.

Fifth: Frances Kelley, Theresa

Fourth: Mary Rose 100, Geneva Hester 100.

Fifth, Helen Mesa.

Fourth: George Hester, Ruby Miller

In personality the five leaders for the month are: Mary Rose, Byford each grade are:

This Week SPECIALS

Fresh Country Sorghum — $1.40

Blue Flag Macaroni and Spaghetti — 10c

Three packages of — 25c

The Cash Grocery Store

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Good speaker Music by High School
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Start Parade on Jackson St
First Aness Jackson, West
for Saturday afternoon, Feb. 14.
All troops will assemble on East
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gh, Colds and energy
Yet, you will be satisfied, or no cost
Dr Thacher's is sold and recommended by Clayton-Crisp Drug Co and all other leading dr

MINERS VOTE ON PENSION FUND

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. Feb. 11 (By A. P.)—Nearly 100,000 Illinois coal miners today had the opportunity to
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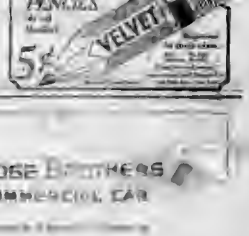

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Benton Evening News

136 GERMAN MINERS KILLED

Rescue Team Expect to Reach Prisoner Soon

Cave Prisoner Has Been Under Ground 13 Days; Eight Days Without Food.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. [illegible] (By A. P.)—The limestone roof of Floyd Collins' prison was reached at the base of the rescue tunnel early this morning at the forty-five foot stage and "any minute" the diggers expect to find a crevice or cavern which can be opened sufficiently for the rescue workers to work their way down to Collins, pinned by a rock at the foot of Sand Cave.

The down draft in the rescue shaft became stronger this morning moving the weary diggers to fresh efforts.

The bottom of the dirt and sandstone "cap" overlying the roof of the old cavern was reached early this morning. A number of crevices began to appear increasing the down draft but none was yet found which would indicate any sizeable tunnel. The cheering developments, it was pointed out by H. T. Carmichael, was the reaching of the crevice stratum proving that a cavern was near at hand.

The official bulletin this morning issued by M. E. Posey, engineer representing Governor [illegible] side, said the depth of Sand Cave rescue shaft was about forty-five feet. He gave 9:00 Saturday night as the time at which the shaft would reach the maximum depth to which it will be driven, about 65 feet.

At ten o'clock this morning Collins had been underground thirteen d[illegible]

Floyd Collins has been imprisoned for thirteen days today began pro[illegible] n the rescue shaft in an ef[illegible] d a natural entrance to the cave behind where a "Squeeze" closed the passage last Thursday.

The drill previously was sent down seventy-six feet at a point two feet from the shaft to be placed in the center of the shaft approximately forty-five feet deep in an effort to determine whether there is a cavern directly under it.

(By A. P.

[illegible] ly connected with the rescue efforts at Sand Cave are convinced that Floyd Collins is a prisoner there, a man appeared at Haddam, Kansas, late yesterday and asserted he was Floyd Collins.

A rambling story was related by the man. Many of his statements did not jibe with what is actually known [illegible]

[illegible] tched by the man [illegible] at the cave.

"Tell mother I am all right and on my way home," the message said. It [illegible] Floyd Collins."

[illegible] e caught a ride into [illegible]

[illegible] ment of Floyd Collins in Sand C[illegible] He said it was the first time he had [illegible]

SUB-DISTRICT OFFICERS HOLD ELECTION

An Unofficial Report Shows Three to One Against a Special Convention.

Unofficial returns from the Sub-district election held Monday indicate that there will be no special convention held for the purpose of investigating charges of irregularity, in connection with the December election.

Monday's election was held as the result of some dissatisfaction that was said to exist in the district over the election of E. P. Loden of this city to the office of Secretary and treasurer, over his opponents, Frank Johnston of Christopher.

It was decided by the Sub-district [illegible]

[illegible] alleged irregularity.

The unofficial report of the results of the election show that the vote against holding the special convention is about 3 to 1.

HAM LEWIS WILL SPEAK IN ILLINOIS

Believes His Presence Will Strengthen Democratic Party in State

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 12.—(By A. P.)—Addressing the Democratic leaders in the House and Senate James Hamilton Lewis of Chicago, former United States Senator, today advised them by letter of his intention of campaigning the state to [illegible]

His action is interpreted as an announcement of his candidacy for the seat now held by United States Senator William McKinley.

[illegible] leaders of his intention to start a state wide personally conducted campaign, Mr. Lewis announced a revolutionary plan of legislation which he urged for adoption.

These include enactment of a short ballot law and advocating legislation by which the governor and other state officials shall be chosen in the "off year" election and not be entangled with party "political prejudices of the presidential campaign."

EVERET STEWART ANNOUNCES FOR CONSTABLE

[illegible]

BENTON'S NEW FIRE ENGINE HAS ARRIVED

Given First Try Out At Franklin County Mine Pond This Afternoon.

Little red Nanny, who has served the people of Benton for the past several years, in her weak and feeble way as a fire extinguisher, has been shoved back in the corner to make room for th[illegible] imposing beauty, the big 750 gallon capacity American La France, fire engine and combination pumper, which made its appearance at the engine house in the city hall late yesterday afternoon.

Heedless of the zero weather and the cold biting winds, Chief Clayton made a trip to Murphysboro yesterday and drove the great fire fighting machine back with him.

With this new equipment Benton's fire department is now said to be one of the best in this part of the state.

Members of the fire department took her out this afternoon for a try out at the Franklin county mine pond. With the aid of giant pumps the men were able to throw a stream of water [illegible] ral feet into the air, with force enough it was stated to break thru any ordinary roof.

This wonderful new machine is a credit to any city, and one that Benton folks are justly proud of.

JURY STILL OUT IN PORTER CASE

Car Stolen on Way to DuQuoin; [illegible] rested in Missouri.

The case of "Doc" Porter charged with stealing a car while enroute to DuQuoin from Zeigler some time ago was heard in circuit court [illegible]

The case [illegible] to the jury yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and at going to press today they were still out.

According to evidence introduced Porter hired a service car in Zeigler to take him to [illegible] arriving at Christopher, it was stated, he decided he wanted to go to DuQuoin, the same driver proceeded with him in the direction of DuQuoin. Somewhere on the hard road between Christopher and DuQuoin, it was brought out, the car was stopped and both Porter and the driver got out and went to a nearby wood. When [illegible] men started back to the car, Po[illegible] ran off from the dr[illegible] and ran away with it. He was later captured somewhere in Missouri and brought back to Franklin county.

The car was returned by the insurance company to its owner.

The jury for two weeks of Circuit Court, beginning next Tuesday, Feb. 17th, summoned are as follows:

Benton Township—

Prindle, A. J. Watson, Geo. Gibson, Marsh Denning, Guy Todd.

[illegible]

Adra Wilson, John Ewing, Len Darnell, Jr., Joe Hesler, Frank McRoy.

[illegible]

Jno. Downing.

[illegible] grman.

[illegible] es Smith, C. E. Snider.

THOUSANDS VISIT LINCOLN'S [illegible]

One Hundredth and Sixteenth Birthday Fittingly [illegible]

[illegible]—Pilgrimages from all parts of the middle west today brought thousands of persons here to celebrate the 116th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln in the city where he spent much of his life and where [illegible]

Among the visitors were more than 5,000 members of the order of De[illegible] fraternity for boys, young men, and their friends, and hundreds of Boy Scouts.

Special trains arrived early day from Chicago, [illegible] Louis, Peoria, Bloom[illegible] points. Special provision had been made for the entertainment of the v[illegible]

Springfield High School building th[illegible] visited the state h[illegible], Lincoln's home and other points of historical interest in this city and vicinity.

"Short addresses were [illegible] Governor Len Small, Charles H. Spill[illegible] of Edwardsville, deputy grand counsellor for the order of De Molay [illegible]

Earl A. Blackman of Kansas C[illegible] first member of the order, placed a wreath upon the tomb to [illegible]

Officers of the De Molay order said that they expect to make the Lincoln's birthday pilgrimage an a[illegible]

Reserved Seats For Benton Folks Saturday Night

With the prospect [illegible] 300 Benton rooters w[illegible] to witness the game Saturday when the Benton high school [illegible] meets their old time foe of the West Frankfort High school, Coach Tabor announced today that he has received word from the West Frankfort High School officials that the East half of [illegible] of the large auditorium at the Frankfort High school building will be reserved f[illegible]

Circuit Court to Adjourn Until [illegible]

[illegible] cases today and will adj[illegible] ernoon until next Tuesday when jury will be impaneled for two we[illegible] [illegible] court, Judge Eagleton, has [illegible] of the most successful terms ever held in the court and has disposed with a large number of cases.

GASOLINE UP [illegible] TOMORROW

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 12.—(By A. P.)—Effective tomorrow the price of gasoline will be increased [illegible] a gallon throughout the [illegible] states [illegible]

LINCOLN'S HOME CONSIDERED A SACRED PLACE

Was the Scene of the Birth of Three Sons And Death of Another.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. [illegible]

[illegible] sary of Lincoln's birth [illegible]

"However hard pressed Lincoln [illegible] for money, his story and a half frame house with green [illegible] from the cares of his life. He was not social in his make up or his ambitions [illegible] it is not of record that he [illegible] took to his home socially any of great men who came to see him.

"His home was not the scene [illegible] great event of his career [illegible] of the birth of three sons and death of one of them. Lincoln's love and affection for his h[illegible] in his conce[illegible] in life, it expr[illegible] atest and chiefest achievement."

Lincoln lived in Springfield when [illegible] ry and a half, white fr[illegible] with green shutters was [illegible] aristocracy, wealth and social [illegible] tion. Lincoln's home was located [illegible] where aristocracy [illegible] ocial position was wo[illegible] to build, Mr. Bowen declares [illegible] here lived the prosperous and [illegible] ing fam[illegible] house and his neighbors were important factors in shaping his destiny.

One of the facts brought in the historical sketch was that there was a mortgage on Lincoln' place when he [illegible] in 1844 from Dr. Charles [illegible] remained on [illegible] this and then [illegible] d by its possessor Ebenezer [illegible] f Connecticut. No mention of [illegible]

May [illegible]

DEPUTY SMITH VISITS MASSAC

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 12.—(By A. P.)—[illegible] n arrests [illegible] United States Deputy [illegible] hals J. W. Smith and D. W. [illegible] of Benton, were ordered held [illegible] bonds each when brought [illegible] S. Commissioner E. A. Burke here yesterday afternoon on liquor charges. Only two were able to make bond immediately, the others being remanded to the Alexander [illegible]

BLAST INJURES FIFTY PERSONS IN CHICAGO

[illegible] on Occurs in Engraving Department of the Evening American

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 12.—(By A. P.)—[illegible] to have been injured, [illegible] y, in an explosion in the [illegible] Fire followed [illegible] d, incl[illegible] taken to a hospital [illegible] is said to ha[illegible]

[illegible] and all employees were ordered from the building. The fire was soon extinguished [illegible] great damage. No one was believed to have been killed so far as could be learned [illegible] is owned by William Ra[illegible]

FRANKFORT PREPARES FOR SCOUT ARMY

Now Complete Greatest Scout [illegible] ng in History of Organization.

[illegible] receive the 700 Scouts [illegible] will arr[illegible] e in this city Saturday [illegible] and the First Big [illegible] in R[illegible] the secret[illegible] f the committee of [illegible] review the parade for the [illegible] he best troop [illegible] reversed to the last. Sam Arnht, the donor of the cup which will be contested for annually will himself act as chairman assisted [illegible] prominent West [illegible]

[illegible] hows that at le[illegible] dozen troops are confident of receiving the coveted prize which will [illegible] fourteen [illegible]

[illegible] g of the enormous [illegible]

District Cou[illegible] Sampson, M[illegible] [illegible] church Finance. Floyd Jewell Scoutmaster, [illegible]

Committee on A[illegible] Nado Burkett [illegible] ther scouts [illegible]

The parade which will start promptly [illegible] from the Franklin School grounds at 1:30 will be one of the largest parades of boys ever held in this c[illegible] Over 700 boys in uniform will be in the line, and it is expected that the varied colored Scout Neckerchiefs will make a brilliant display. The West Frankfort High school band will lead the parade.

The Rotary and Lions Clubs [illegible]

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MANY OTHERS REPORTED HURT IN EXPLOSION

Others Missing After Blast Occurs in the Stein Mines at [illegible] mund.

[illegible] covered from the [illegible] mine at Nortmund in [illegible]

NORTMUND, Germany, Feb. 12.—(By A. P.)—Thirty [illegible] men were killed by an explosion in the Stein mine last [illegible] a hundred others are [illegible]

Only eight men we[illegible] alive [illegible]

[illegible] to be little hope of re[illegible] entombed miners.

The explosion [illegible] hint and caused the [illegible] the underground galleries to collapse, blocking all exits.

It is feared the [illegible] died almost imme[illegible] the effect of the poison gas.

Boy Arrested For Taking Pipe [illegible] Company

Jerrell Day, 17 years of age, was arrested Tuesday afternoon, by chief of police Wilkerson, upon a [illegible] sworn out by J. W. Devillbliss, of Franklin County Mine in w[illegible] charged that Day was one of a [illegible] company houses near the mine and stripping the lead connections from the water pipes.

Day, it was stated was arrested after he had taken a load of the [illegible] and disposed of it to a junk dealer.

For some time, Mr. Devillbliss [illegible] chief Wilkerson, the mine [illegible] have been bothered by a [illegible] boys, who have been laying a [illegible] the vacant houses at the mine.

In the future he stated, a close watch would be kept on the [illegible] anyone caught loitering around the [illegible]

The Day boy will be given a preliminary hearing, Saturday, [illegible]

FRED NEAL FOR SUPERVISOR

[illegible] who seeks re-election to the office of Supervisor of Benton Township on the Democratic ticket.

Mr. Neal is well known in [illegible] ity, and is just com[illegible] successful term as [illegible]

During his term [illegible] handled the affairs of the [illegible] very satisfactory manner, [illegible] made a [illegible]

[illegible]

Business Manager

(in county) per year

(in county) one month.

(Illinois outside of county) per year...

(outside state) per year...

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For Justice of the Peace

We are authorized to announce that E. O. ... is a candidate for Justice of the Peace

Tops

By JULIUS B. SMITH

Violet ... rhyme and ... to ask ... him, he

Olympia, Wash.— ... scourge of ... the big cats of ... forests, imperils the live stock, ... isolated settlers, deer, elk and game birds. Reports reach

killed in an encounter

times while the settler was ... The tracks were ...

and two expert

s trailed a

teran Stage Driver Carries Whip to Grave

placed in his right hand, in his cof-

For nearly fifty years ...

...er was literally ...

n Rule in Tibet; Take 6 Husbands Apiece

New York.—In the Tibet men say of ...

cloth dipped in whitening should then be washed soapy water

certain you ... I took out ... who wrote of

... in addition to their housework the ... the outside. They

... barley, butter ... themselves instead

Mad as March Hare

"There is ... much about ... March" here. The ... that live in ...

Increase Output ... Manufa...

... per cent ... in ...

Wm. Wagner and family spent a few hours of Sunday night at the home of C. E. Tharp and family.

... church. Those present were ... Page, Jewel McClure, ... Beulah and Iva Wells, and

... Roscoe Payne and Paul Dale Varion

Mrs. Henry Pa... spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Calvin Tharp

Walter Hatch... this vicinity W...

... Tharp

... bbins and father, Mr. Lewis Phillips, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilkey, Wednesday.

Guy Capps is working for James Moore at present.

... spending Friday and Saturday relatives in Johnston City

Orpha and Opal Kern were in Be...

Mrs. Ha... visiting in this

... cent statistics ... rope have placed the per capita consumption there at 14 matches a day and reaches a total of ... matches a year.

First Wheat in

It is not definitely ... reduced wheat into America. History shows, however, that it was not ... after its discov-

... ance Wilkey spent ... home of Mr. and Mrs.

Misses Lucy ... Friday afternoon visitors at

Helen

Willie Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Richardson ... Sunday with William Wa... family

... at the home of

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Potatoes, 15 pounds for ... 25c
Flour, 24 lb. ... $1.
Bread, Country Club, large loaf ... 10c
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Science can beautify your hair ... science coupled with our ...

...Put It To Every Test You Can Think of—Prove to Yourself that
CALUMET
BAKING POWDER

Mrs. WEBNER ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF SISTER

were served. The guests included Mesdames Moses Pulverman, Harry Moore, Charles Mangeret, Lester Weinberg, Ralph Rea, Don Ziles, John Gambrel, S. S. Shines, J. E. Webster, Nora Johnson and M. G. Parcell.

MRS. MOORE ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Harry Moore was hostess to a [illegible] friends at her home on Pope

of the afternoon delicious refreshments.

Baby chicks and hatching eggs from

home, state inspected, post paid—John E. Laird, St. Vernon. — 3080

ment of Tuffies, Piano Cards, Mat Shop, 114 West Church St. — 3323

parents of a baby girl born Monday.

Mrs. Florence DeWorth was operated on in Dr. Moore's hospital Wednesday.

Sylvia Champan of [illegible] underwent an operation at Dr. Moore's hospital Wednesday.

Miss Lelonie Harrison is visiting

Misses Ina and Mary Silkwood of West Frankfort were the [illegible]

Don Sharp

Mrs. F. H. Stemper is spending her home on Marion Street.

[illegible] shop, 114 W. Church St. — 3323

[illegible] and the [illegible]

Boys, have you seen those lovely

Is Your Title Clear?

Do You Know You Are Abstract Your Property?

or a new abstract, as [illegible]

We Can Cut the Price

of making abstracts to less than one-

[illegible] now, will sooner or later, and you can [illegible] giving in your order now while

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From The Courier

Farmers Organize

[illegible] the mill and be

The association in the [illegible] one of its kind in the state

[illegible] of the Illinois Action [illegible] who founded Farm Advisor [illegible]

[illegible] of the Laclede county [illegible]

[illegible] tured Beach Comber.

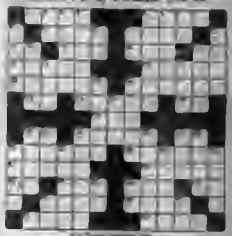
"Mac," as the [illegible] Her Band [illegible]

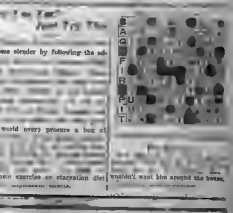
[illegible]

[illegible] Bundles of newly received holiday [illegible] sent in the aircraft [illegible] were observed sent "Old Sis" to Brooklyn and [illegible]

[illegible] and to visit on Saturday.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 98





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Wet Interests

Vocational Education

[illegible] Vocational education supervisors of [illegible] more venue indicated that the bench [illegible] member have had $1000 on deposit in [illegible]

[illegible] b relief, a question which [illegible] sport within each one of us; a spirit [illegible]

[illegible] representing the most [illegible] the question, ways to appear [illegible]

[illegible] ord to Be Sold

[illegible] Don't be a "sad-sack" try to get a short sea [illegible]

[illegible] become slender by following the ad- [illegible] the world every process a box of [illegible]

[illegible] Strenuous exercise or starvation diet [illegible] wouldn't want him around the house.

Relief

For pain—quick

The worst pains people suffer can be relieved at once. Rheumatic pain, soreness, backache, cold in chest, etc.

Rub the sore part well with pepper, stocking the surface with concentrated, penetrating heat—and then take Capsicum.

You feel it instantly. In three minutes that best prescription in the world. The pulsion stops, circulation is relieved. [illegible]

RED PEPPER RUB

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

First National Bank

[illegible] this strip of [illegible] or walls and a new the house [illegible] for a home [illegible] Brown [illegible]

[illegible] posts are to sell on auction to the highest bidder. Chairman on the market at that, the city has become overcrowded with patrons.

Of the 3000 machines in the city, nearly 2000 operate [illegible] and the [illegible] operators have [illegible]

[illegible] a Sun midnight use of [illegible]

[illegible] road is being [illegible] a summer resort [illegible]

[illegible] shows attained to [illegible] [illegible] by [illegible]

Oil Burners Co.

AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

What is Being Done or Talked About in Town and Rural Districts in Franklin County

BENSIE

For the last few days we have been having some real nice, warm, spring weather and the roads have dried until cars can run again.

John Price and Charles Marks took a load of corn to the Hickman farm to feed the race horses there belonging to George Hickman of Benton.

Silas Bennett and Sanford Allen worked a few days last week in the timber for the new I. C. Cut-off railroad but at present they are not working.

Willard Huffine was a business call at Bensie one day last week.

Mary Gunsman spent one day last week with Ethel Davis.

Roy Neal purchased some corn from Geo. Davis one day last week.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new, up-to-date, up-to-date, up-to-date [illegible] on Joe Bennette and Jasper Smiths place.

Mrs. Neal was to Benton one day [illegible] last week.

Frank Davis and John Warren made a business trip to Benton one afternoon last week.

[illegible] last week.

John Davis made a business trip to [illegible] last week.

[illegible] Brother Mitchell is improving [illegible]

[illegible] ing in his truck.

[illegible] sermon. They should know better. All [illegible] and all old members are made to dream awake. Dressing is the [illegible]

Subscribe for the Evening News.

OF HOT SPRINGS

We are having nice weather at the present and the roads are getting good.

M. Little cover his house.

[illegible] Mitchell held a service at the home of Mrs. Maggie Moore, who is sick up Sunday evening.

Frank Davis and wife spent last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Dug Allen Mrs. Allen has been sick with tonsilitis.

Some of the women have been cleaning up their gardens since the weather has been so nice, and sowing some early garden seeds.

Jim Davis and wife spent one day last week with relatives of Leon.

Most all of the roads have been dragged except around Bensie. It seems to us that these roads ought to be dragged too, as there is a good deal of travel on them especially when the cars can run.

So far, our merchant, P. W. Kessner, has done all his hauling in his Benton spent Friday night with their

Mrs. Joe Bennett and children spent last Sunday with John Price and family.

Some of the men of this vicinity are getting ready to fix ground to sow oats and some are sowing grass seed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sweet formerly of Shell City and who have recently moved into this vicinity attended church at Jackson Grove last Sabbaday night.

Tom spent last Sunday with John [illegible] and family and [illegible] here.

[illegible] ion spent last Sunday with Richard [illegible]

[illegible] visited Mrs. Emily Ellis, who is in the [illegible]

Charlie Bennett and wife spent last [illegible]

[illegible] Subscribe for the Evening News.

WOODS

[illegible] way surprised and [illegible] friends motored through this vicinity Sunday afternoon.

Bill McAnelen has been trying on road to see if the thing are made of rubber.

G. F. Hulse and family made a business trip to Benton last week.

Baby Robertson and Daisy Clark spent the week end with home folks.

James Henry Phillips is taking his milk to West Frankfort this week.

Lena Williams spent the week end in Benton with relatives.

Olga Clark and Mrs. Curtis Wilhelm motored to Benton last Friday afternoon.

We were surprised to hear the wedding bells ring at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barnfield last week.

Addie Phillips passed through this vicinity Sunday morning.

George Bishop and family visited

We are sorry to hear about William Lipes losing so many chickens and two veal calves one night last week while he was away from home. [illegible] work for a

Look out girls, old St. Valentine will soon be here with pretty pictures, little verses, comic pictures and many pleasure for you all.

Several of the young folks of this vicinity attended the party at Mr. [illegible] Leonard.

Mr. Logan Carlton and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Saturday night.

Miss Claudia and Loreto Dillon Opal Dollins.

PALESTINE

Several people were to think spring [illegible]

Valley Ben has purchased him a [illegible]

M. Proctor delivered a new piano to Ernest Overturf Sunday.

[illegible] moved to serve on the posse [illegible] here.

[illegible] the candidates for Mayor here this spring. Both are good men and [illegible] handle majority.

Alfred Stevens and Mr. McMillan have traded places and each have moved to their new home.

Mrs. Corbett has been on the sick list for the past week but is reported better at this writing.

Mrs. Robert Henry has been sick [illegible] to be up at present.

Valley is preparing for one of the strongest ball teams in Southern Illinois this season. They have about fifteen players already in their line-up.

A revival meeting is to start at the Christian church the 19th of Feb. Everybody is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. James Willis passed through this vicinity yesterday.

Charlie Derris and wife have been [illegible]

Mrs. John Bauer is on the sick list at present

Carl Noll and Ernie Phillips were business callers at the Clark Bros garage Monday.

[illegible] called on Mrs. W. E. [illegible]

Governor Webb and family visited Sunday afternoon with relatives in [illegible]

Bill Hays are regularly callers in Benton.

PALESTINE

West Frankfort.

Chester Heard, who is teaching the [illegible]

Johnny Franklin and Elvis Owens Sunday.

[illegible] Benton visited at Ray Wilkerson last Monday.

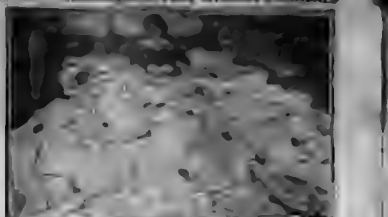
T. B. Taylor and family of Benton, were visiting their son, Harry last [illegible]

G. V. Upchurch has been doing some staring for John Eubanks, which helps the appearance of the landscape.

Died last Tuesday night about 12 o'clock p. m., Mr. G Hog. He was known by many of us for quite a number of years as a charter member of the Ananias Club, and at the time of his death he was the duly authorized Walking Delegate of the Pneumonia spread over many states and countries and he taking every will be deeply regretted by his many friends and relatives.

Mr. J. L. Amos went to Benton [illegible] tatoes, but we'll venture the prediction [illegible]

Victor Radio Results Bring Thousands Of Congratulatory Messages From Unseen Authority



[illegible] source of public interest in radio [illegible] contests by famous actors of the opera and concert stage promises [illegible] in fact.

[illegible] of the signal, departure from what [illegible] Victor Radio Corporation, Herbert [illegible] Hoover on the custom dot at late [illegible] in radio programs.

Pictured above is one of a staff [illegible] for an Victor call clerks [illegible] getting the task of answering one [illegible] of the American Telegraph [illegible] Victor radio programs, and asking [illegible] opinions as

FRISCO

Mr and Mrs. Ralph Crider and baby visited relatives in Benton [illegible]

[illegible] incinnati and experts to have some [illegible]

The visitors at Sugar Camp school [illegible]

Neal. The afternoon was spent in spelling.

Jeff Link and family of Ewing [illegible]

few hours at W. C. Tucker's Saturday [illegible]

[illegible] Miss Ula Cupps and Archie Stub- [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pitson of Benton visited Loren Sisks and family Sunday.

Miss Venera Jenkins spent Saturday [illegible]

FRISCO

[illegible] Miss Lucy and Adam Hays took [illegible] which came to gladden their home Feb. 6th. Mother and baby are doing [illegible] time was reported.

Clara McFarland left last Thursday [illegible]

Mrs. Joe Stubblefield and Mrs. Delmar McFarland spent Friday of last week at the home of Raymond Nave.

Several of the women of this vicinity [illegible] ed, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunter, Author Hunter, Walter and Hugh [illegible] overall dance W. Valley, Saturday [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Vencent spent Sunday in West Frankfort with Mr [illegible]

Verle Adams spent the week en [illegible]

Mr and Mrs. S. W. Breese spent [illegible]

Special Bargain Aluminum Sale

GLASSMAN'S

Boilers, Cake Pans, etc., values to $1.00—

69c and $1.00 each

Items—values to 25c—on sale for—each 1c.

Saturday Only

SEE THEM IN OUR WINDOWS

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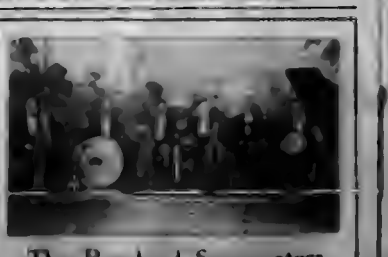

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Manure Wasted if Left Exposed in Barnyard

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Boy, 16, Models Gothic Cathedral in Cardboard

Barrings of 100 Years Ago Vogue in Dresden

Arm of Picador Mangled by Beast He Tortured

Japs Settle in Tennessee

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FOR RENT—modern room. Phone [illegible]

FOR RENT—modern bedroom on first floor, gentleman preferred, also garage.—406 W Main, phone 209-W

FOR RENT—3 or 4 room, modern furnished or unfurnished with or without. Call 29. 33tf

FOR RENT—5-room house with garage and half acre of land.—W R. Jones. 36*3

WANTED

WANTED—nursing by experienced nurse.—Mrs. E. Wade, Bend City 33*4

WANTED—plain and fancy sewing 305 A West Church. Opal Whit[illegible]

FOR SALE—Dining Room Suite and Mahogany Bed; bargain if taken at once.—409 W 6th St., phone 367

FOR SALE—37½ acres land 2½ miles north of Whittington on hard [illegible]. Write or see Mrs. Lucy [illegible]rs, Logan, box 225

[illegible] SALE OR TRADE [illegible] 7 a. m. and 3 p. m. [illegible] G. W. Hodge 33tf

FOR SALE—Two extra good bed springs, reasonable.—209 W. Main call 74. 33t

FOR SALE — Chevrolet Coupe baby carriage, victrola, [illegible] stove Neutrodyne radio set. See L C Agan Mulkeytown. 33t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—6-room house, good as new 1004 N Ma[illegible] Herbert Summers. 29*

FOR SALE—my new home in Du Gore addition; 5 rooms, hall and bath basement, lights, city water, double garage, east front with long porch across front Call 220 or write T C Rosemeier, Carterville. 36t3t

FOR SALE—new modern 5-room house, furnished including nice piano new white enameled gas stove. Phone 602-W.—206 College. Price $4000 36t

LOST

LOST—White female Boston bull dog. This animal is spayed and was kept as a pet. Strayed from Benton but belongs in Sesser and is doubtless trying to get home. $10 reward will be paid for any information leading to her recovery Call Sing Rushing Phone 144, Benton, or Sesser 116. 33t

LOST—Black traveling bag on hard road to Country Club; reward —Earl Heck, 707 Highland. 33*

FOUND

FOUND—On hard road between Benton Country Club, Auto license Owner may have same by paying for this a[illegible]

FOUND—Brow[illegible] bird dog.—Joe Vietti, 504 McKinley

MATINEE FOR CHILDREN AT CAPITOL

Rotary Club Will Aid Schools to See Abraham Lincoln Monday and Tuesday.

Through the efforts of the Rotary Club and the co-operation of Manager Kigley of the Capitol theatre all the school children of the city of Benton will be given an opportunity to see what has been spoken of as the greatest picture of its kind ever produced "Abraham Lincoln."

The picture is billed for the Capitol theatre Monday and Tuesday. By special arrangement the management will give a morning matinee both Monday and Tuesday mornings for the benefit of the school children only.

Realizing the real educational value in connection with the picture the Rotary Club has made it possible for every school child in Benton to see the great picture at greatly reduced prices.

Manager Kigley wishes to an[illegible] matinee will be given just the same [illegible] morning show will be given entirely for the benefit of the school children [illegible] Wooters stated this morning [illegible] board and faculty to see that every child got the chance to see the picture.

The educational value of good motion pictures," Supt. Wooters stated "is being recognized throughout the United States to such an extent that a large number of the public school systems are using them to teach different subjects in connection with school work."

"We believe," he stated "the educational value in connection with the picture, 'Abraham Lincoln', is such that every one who sees it will be greatly benefitted and are therefore anxious that every child see the picture."

It required one hundred and fourteen sets to furnish the scenic investiture of "Abraham Lincoln." The variety of them with their wide contrast constitutes one of the enchantments of the picture.

The first, in the cabin where Abraham Lincoln was born in Kentucky, is an exact replica of the original birth place now enshrined in the marble memorial near Hodgenville, Ky.

Then follow in a rapid pageant of pictured scenes:

The great set of New Salem consisting of twenty-six log cabins where Lincoln lived from 1831 to 1836—the biggest log set ever built.

The Pioneer Barbecue in Kentucky a wonderful realistic scene of pioneer [illegible]

[illegible]gfield where Lincoln was in[illegible] to his future wife by Stephen [illegible]

The Lincoln Home in Springfield.

The great Lincoln-Douglas debate [illegible]

[illegible] which carried president elect Lincoln to his inau[illegible]

President Lincoln's office Mrs Lincoln's boudoir and the Cabinet room in the White House

The portico of the Wh[illegible] in Washington.

Pennsylvania avenue, Washington D. C., as it was during Lincoln's administration from the White House to the Capitol Building. The most famous street in the world—one and a quarter miles long.

The hospital tents and the battlefields.

The world famous set of the Gettysburg Battlefield, scene of Lincoln's memorial address.

The magnificent East Room of the White House celebrated in song and story, where President Lincoln's official receptions were held.

The exterior and interior of the world-famed Lincoln Memorial at Washington, D. C., where the sp[illegible] of Lincoln is enthroned in eternal [illegible]

FRANKFORT PREPARES FOR SCOUT ARMY

(Continued from First Page)

ed in the nine towns served by the council are co-operating in furnishing transportation for the troops and it is expected that in addition to the 700 boys there will be at least 300 parents and friends in the city

The program following the Scout feed in the gym of the Christian church will be a corking one from start to finish. The first number will be by Scout "Skinney" Gibbs of Herrin who aspires to be the Camp Bugler this year. He has about forty other Scouts to compete with so the big banquet will give us a chance to try his lungs. Another feature from Herrin will be "Gobby" the famous Reservation Hula Hula Dancer who charm[illegible]

Troop One, Benton, under the [illegible]p of "Donk" Moore [illegible] a band and will also stage fifteen minutes of Dome Stuph." One of the feat[illegible] the program will be the appearance [illegible]ctual flesh of "Dynamite" the "King of Water Rustling Mules" which is being supplied by Troop One Herrin under the leadership of James Bailie. Several talks on the camp will be made and the camp folders will be distributed. Songs and cheers will be led by Deputy Commissioner Jo Robert Howard of Marion and applications for the camp this summer will be had.

W. FRANKFORT TO HAVE NIGHT HIGH SCHOOL

Something very unusual in connection with high school work has been arranged by teachers of the West Frankfort Community High school in which they propose to conduct a night school for the benefit of those who were deprived of the advantages of a high school education early in life, be[illegible] of financial difficulties or other [illegible]

The teachers have arranged a course in high school and commercial subjects, and full high school cre[illegible] will be given for all work done [in] the night school.

The course will be conducted by members of the high school faculty, [with] H. E. Montgomery as princip[al]

Useless Information

It's all right to learn something every day. But it doesn't seem to be of any particular advantage to know that the ocean is six miles deep.—

Administration Opposes Warren

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—(By A. P.) —Administration leaders will seek to prevent action at this session of the Senate on the nomination of Chas. B. Warren of Michigan to be attorney general.

This was disclosed today after Chairman Cummins of the judiciary [co]mmittee had frank[illegible] [Pres]ident Coolidge [illegible] opposition had [illegible]

[illegible]their husbands a banquet and programme [illegible]

N. S. Helm. Super[illegible] First Baptist [illegible] the guest of honor [illegible] and helpfully [illegible] spent fifty years [illegible] teaching and thirty-five years [illegible] time in Benton, brought words of [illegible] and encouragement. The [illegible] with the use of "[illegible] That Binds."

[illegible] SCHOOL

Quite a few cases of [illegible] have broken out [illegible] ire for them [illegible]

[illegible] at Ben [illegible] Sunday. [illegible] Golda P[illegible] has [gone] to her home [illegible] Benton.

[illegible]ton, Sunday.

Sesser Bates is working for Bill Sauers this week.

L. A. Ramsey and son, Floyd called on B. H. Winemiller, [illegible]

Messrs. Frank Page and Everett Beatty took a load of boys and girls to Fred Lemons, Saturday night.

John Bates and son went to West Frankfort Saturday. [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Stockston visited at J. Q. Bates Sunda[y]

The Ramsey Brothers have sold [illegible] mules and delivered them at Whittington Saturday.

Mr. Landy Carr has moved to Benton. They are fine people and we regret very much to see them leave.

John Bates and son are helping John Lipe on the farm this week.

Mrs. B. H Winemiller visited her mother Wednesday.

Misses Ora, Helen and Dortha Williams visited Essie and Mabel [illegible] Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hinkle and family, Mr. S. V. Davis and Mr. Herman Davis and son, Ray of Williamson County visited J. D. Sanders Sunday.

Pupils making highest grade for week ending February 6, by grades First, Mary Winemiller; Second, Eugene Winemiller; Fifth, Irvin Winemiller; Seventh, A. Golda Parrish; Seventh, B, Mary Ramsey.

Mrs. Kannie Glover is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. [illegible]

[illegible] Vatican in Rome are two crowns, one given by Napoleon to Pope Pius XII, containing the largest emerald in the [illegible]

[illegible]ON, Chicago—6 organ; 6:30 ensemble, string quintet; 8 Line o'Type night; 10 orchestra, glee club.

[W]MAQ, Chicago [illegible]

[illegible]35 orchestra; 8 Lincoln talk; 8:50 lecture; 9:15 soprano.

KYW, Chicago—7 concert; 9 reading [illegible] 0 at home, orches[tra]

WLW, Cincinnati—6 concert, quintet; [illegible]

WOC, Davenport—7 Sandman; 7:20 lecture; 9 orchestra; 10 dance, entertainers.

WWJ, Detroit News—[illegible]30 tenor, 9 orchestra.

WHAS, Louisville—7 [illegible] mixed concert, talk.

[illegible] 6-10 Lincol[n] [illegible]

[illegible] vaudeville; 10 orchestra.

WIP, Philadelphi[a] [illegible] talk 7 concert; [illegible]30 orchestra

WGY, Schenectady—6:30 book cha[t] 7 orchestra, 7:15 drama, 10:30 o[illegible]

KSD, St. Louis—8 Melody Makers.

[illegible] Industry

[illegible] term used to de[illegible] used on [illegible] is ap[illegible] pearance, but fills up all the holes and pores in the wood

STAR Theatre

Wed. - Thurs.

10c and 20c

William H. Crane, Alec Francis and Claude Gillingwater in

"THREE WISE FOOLS"

and the Comedy

CAPITOL

Thursday - Friday

JACKIE COOGAN

in

Long Live The King

Metro

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is a Combined Treatment, both [illegible]

[illegible] Headaches

"For about twenty years" says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newberg, [illegible]

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

PILES — RECTAL CLINIC — CURED BY NONSURGICAL [illegible]

Piles, Fissure, Fistula and all rectal diseases [illegible] technic. No general anesthetic. No hospital. No charge for consultation and examinati[on]

Dr. G. W. [illegible] RECTAL [illegible]

CLINIC HOURS [illegible]

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You ca[illegible] by hard work; why not have a Bank Account for the care of it? A working man is just as [illegible] depositor in this Bank as a man of wealth. There is just as much reason why the wage earner should have an Account here as anybody. Do not delay starting, even if the amount be small.

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19 NEW MODELS

STANDARD SIX		SPECIAL SIX		[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	Roadster	$1450	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	1145	5-Pass. Duplex-Phaeton	1495	5-Pass. Coupe	2450
[illegible]	1295	3-Pass. Sport Roadster	1535	7-Pass. Sedan	2575
3-Pass. Country Club Coupe	1345	5-Pass. Brougham	1795	7-Pass. Berline	2650
5-Pass. Coupe	1445	4-Pass. Victoria	1895	NOTE: Standard Six—4-wheel brakes, 4 disc wheels [illegible]	
5-Pass. Brougham	1465	5-Pass. Sedan	1985	Special Six—4-wheel brakes, 5 [illegible] wheels [illegible]	
5-Pass. Sedan	1545			Big Six—4-wheel brakes, 5 [illegible] wheels [illegible]	
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Hickman-Etherton Motor Co.

STUDEBAKER

Benton Evening News

WILEY HELPS CLEAN UP IN AURORA ILL.

Former Benton Officer Active in Liquor Raids in Northern Illinois.

The following is a clipping from of the Aurora papers te[illegible] activities of one of Benton's former citizens, in assisting the authorities of that city in a general clean up

Mr. Had has been in the federal service for the past several years and has been a very successful officer, his many friends here and throughout the county, will be glad to learn of his late achievement

[illegible]fter years of unsuccessful attempts to raid roadhouses and saloons [illegible] and about Aurora, prohibition officials succeeded last night Nineteen places were raided, great quantities of liquor were confiscated and a telegram telling about it was dispatched to Prohibition Commissioner Roy Haynes in Washington, who had sent two men and appropriated some $8000 for the purpose

"The two investigators were Wiley [illegible] who posed as a cabaret man [illegible] to open up a chain of road houses, and Oscar Grannay, who posed as a wood buyer from the west They were the first prohibition officials [illegible] to obtain the confidence of Sam Thompson, alleged to be the director of bootlegging in the vicinity of his roadhouse on the Lincoln highway three miles west of Auror[illegible]

"Warrants were obtained from [illegible] C. Cliffe instead of from

the usual practice. There was no tip off to the offenders Among the places raided were those of William Fritz the South Shore Inn, and the Two [illegible] Montgomery, [illegible] [illegible]rth Aurora, Walsh's Retreat in El[illegible]ra, the Standpipe roadhouse, the Shady Tavern and eight saloons in the city of Aurora itself [illegible]

John Baily Killed By Speeding Auto This Morning

Body Found 100 Feet From Where Struck Driver Go On at Top Speed.

[illegible] ly, Jr., son of John Baily of this city was run down and almost [illegible]stantly killed last night by an automobile on the hard road about half way between here and West Frankfort [illegible]

Smothers, who was with Baily at the time, as being a large open car. The car, it was stated, was coming at a terrific rate of spede, and did not slacken its pace when the man was [illegible] are today working on a clue which they hope will result in

[illegible] accident happened about one [illegible] this morning as Baily and [illegible] thers were walking on the hard road to West Frankfort. Coroner Joe Hill, who had been in Benton on [illegible]usiness, and was on his way to [illegible] one in West Frankfort found the boys a short time after the acci-

fore reaching the hospital.

Smothers told the coroner that he and Baily were on their way to West Frankfort, that he was walking on the dirt at the side of the pavement, while

the edge. A heavy open car, he said, was coming down the pavement at a high rate of speed and before Baily had time to step to one side the car hit him and passed on.

The body was picked up about one hundred feet from where his hat was laying indicating that he had been knocked or dragged for considerable distance

Besides a number of scratches over his body, the skull was crushed and mangled, in such a manner as to cause those who examined the body to believe he had been dragged on the pavement by the car.

The body was taken to Nolen and Mitchell's undertaking parlors where a coroners inquest will be conducted by deputy coroner C. F. Settlemoir, late this afternoon.

PARKHILL CO. IN NEW HANDS

Deal Made Whereby Departments Will Run Separately.

Through a deal recently consummated by a number of prominent business men of the city, the different departments of the D. M. Parkhill Motor Company goes into new hands and will be run as separate and indi[illegible]

The Parkhill Motor Company who were formerly dealers in Nash and Chevrolet cars as result of the deal have sold their Chevrolet franchise to L. C. Bayless, who will conduct the Chevrolet agency from his exte[illegible] garage and salesroom on Jackson street.

Parkhill Motor Company.

"Tony" is recognized as one of the best car mechanics in this part of the country. He will conduct the repair [illegible]

makes of cars.

H. W Blough, who [illegible] associated with Mr. Parkhill in the motor business for the past several years, has taken over the accessories department. [illegible] location with a [illegible] tomobile a[illegible] placement parts for all cars.

Mr. Blough needs no introduction to Benton folks, his knowledge of the accessory business will enable him to equip and maintain one of the most comp[illegible] Illinoi[illegible]

The Para[illegible] retain the Na[illegible] main in the old location where they will take care of all Nash owners.

BOYS ARRESTED ATTEMPTING TO DRIVE AWAY CAR

Officers Hodge and Pritchard Shadow 2 Youths and Arrest Follows.

Policemen Hodge and Pritchard did [illegible] bit of good [illegible] last night [illegible] as a result, arrested two

When first noticed the officers state the boys were walking around the square, looking at every car parked. Three or four times they got in different cars, and apparently made an effort to start them.

Their last and fatal attempt was made on the east side of the square when they entered a Ford coupe belonging to Mac Taylor. This time they were successful in getting [illegible] started and were in the act of driving away when the officers, who had been

and later turned over to county officers who placed them in the county jail.

A new screw driver, and a half pint bottle almost full of "White Mule" was taken from them. When questioned [illegible] the officers the boys had very little to say about the affair or themselves. One gave his name as Colby Denney and said he was boarding with LeRoy Scott of this city. The other gave his name as Aud Edwards, [illegible] his boarding place at the home of Charles Butler.

"Abraham Lincoln" Coming to Capitol February 16 and 17

In examining more than 37,000 books and documents about Abraham Lincoln the researchers for the Rock[illegible] Lincoln Film Company, producers of "Abraham Lincoln," a First National picture to be shown at the Capitol Monday and Tuesday, have amassed almost countless odds and ends of facts—little things—that go to make up the sum total of Lincolniana. Do you know these?

Mr. Lincoln told Leonard Sweet he had never tasted whiskey, but he loved corn in those other four pioneer forms—hog, hominy, hoe cake and on the cob.

He had a good singing voice and loved to sing as he drove through the country—a habit of the pioneers.

He loved animals and birds, but did not care particularly for flowers. He said he had had no time to study them

The first and only steamboat that ever navigated the Sangamon River was piloted by Lincoln.

Abraham Lincoln was of Quaker stock and proud of it.

During his residence in Indiana he borrowed and read every book within a radius of fifty miles of his home.

He stood six feet four without his boots and could lift a thousand pounds

[illegible] recreation after he became president was to read the books of American humorists and Shakespeare. These were his safety valves.

The boy Lincoln's first job was to tote corn to Hodgen's mill near his boyhood home in Kentucky. Later he

All Hope To Reach Collins Through Shaft Abandoned

HERRIN GRAND JURY MEETS

No Indictments Returned in Late Herrin Trouble.

MARION [illegible] Feb. 13.—(By A. P.) The 57 indictments returned Williamson County grand [illegible]

[illegible]rin's two latest shootings which elimi[illegible]

[illegible] Thomas and two others on the night

Workmen Declare Passage Does Not Lead to Where Man is Entombed.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 13.—(By A. P.)—H. T. Carmichael in charge of the Floyd Collins rescue work and two miners at 10:00 this morning began exploration of the tunnel uncovered early today in the side of the Sand Cave rescue shaft.

The tunnel which the rescue work[illegible]

[illegible] Collins, was discovered on the

[illegible] around and over the tunnel hole so the

[illegible] new tunnel.

The hole was first discovered about [illegible]:30 a. m. The discovery of the tunnel was closely guarded, the miners refusing to talk about it. But looking down the mouth of the shaft the shadow of the hole was clearly seen The hole was in the side wall at about the fifty-foot mark. Drilling was stopped to concentrate on clearing out the tunnel. Carmichael said he hoped they would have Collins by noon. The new tunnel, as was easily seen, was large enough to accommodate a good sized man and as far as they could peer into it ran straight away from the northwest corner into the shaft diagonally to the left to the mouth of Sand [illegible]ave. The tunnel was discovered just underneath a limestone ledge giving the officials hope the new tunnel was a part of the same honeycomb workings in which Collins is trapped.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 13.—(By A. P.)—H. T. Carmichael in charge of operations and other officials who went into the shaft by digging to Sand Cave where Floyd Collins has been imprisoned for two weeks, came out of the shaft this afternoon and announced that the hope of rescuing Collins through the tunnel discovered [illegible] the shaft, would have [illegible]

to disclose passage way Digging was resumed in the bottom of the shaft [illegible] and Mr Carmichael said it probably would take two or three days to reach the seventy foot level where they plan to begin [illegible] an effort to strike [illegible]

FANS MEET AND DISCUSS LEAGUE TEAM

Committee Will Confer With Other Cities in An Effort to Form Plans.

[illegible] was held at the Elks' Club rooms at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when a representative body of business men and followers of the national game met to consider plans for placing a local team in the proposed "Hard Road [illegible]

It was pointed out at this meeting that plans and organizations in other cities of the proposed circuit have already developed to the stage where a meeting of representatives of all the clubs interested would soon be held in one of the centrally located cities and

[illegible] ing to represent Benton at such [illegible]

This committee, composed of thre[illegible] of our best business and professional men, Dr. E. H. Campbell, Bert Stiff and W H. Foulk, [illegible]

[illegible] be well cared for.

Fred Pulliam and Jack Ulrich were selected to negotiate for suitable grounds for a club home and to report back to the next meeting which will be called soon.

This is a step in the right direction as, considering the close proximity of

It is an assured fact that a successful season may be enjoyed by each team and that attendance and interest in the national pastime will be materially increased throughout the circuit. It will furnish an added incentive to our local athletes to apply themselves diligently, as doubtless a number of the players of this league will be called up to faster company before the season ends.

We are advised that a majority of the civic and fraternal organizations of the city will lend all possible aid to this movement, and there

success from the very start of the season. Of course there are many details to be worked out in order to start off smoothly but there are able m[illegible] [illegible]harge who can have the machinery in good condition by the time the playing season arrives.

It is the opinion of local supporters [illegible] schedule will call for perhaps not more than three gam[illegible]

[illegible] expense of maintaining the teams will not be greater than has been hereto[illegible]

each club will be confined to a [illegible]

from over-anxiety on the part of any

(Continued on Page Eight)

WHEATON ILL. MAN HANGED THIS MORNING

John Kammerer Confesses to Killing Five Before Mounting Scaffold.

WHEATON, Ill., Feb. 13.—(By A. P.)—John Kammerer, 27, was hanged in the county jail here today for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Otto [illegible] and their three sons at [illegible] June 27, 1924. The trap was sprung at 10:40 o'clock and three minutes later Kammerer was pronounced dead.

Just before mounting the scaffold Kammerer gave Assistant States Attorney Knoch of Du Page, [illegible] complete confession. It was in [illegible] [illegible] and told how Kammerer spent the greater part of the day in killing the family. He said his work began

[illegible] slept. Kammerer said he [illegible] with an axe on his head.

She came home to get [illegible] for the children. About [illegible] up behind her and hit [illegible] head. I wrapped her in [illegible] stuffed a gag into her [illegible] came in pretty soon

[illegible] if he had found enough funds in [illegible]'s pockets he contemplated [illegible] to St. Louis to kill the arch bishop and if he could get away he intended going to Chicago and kill [illegible] ban and a priest.

Another Hanging at Decatur

DECATUR, Ill., [illegible]

[illegible] was hanged in the county jail noon today for the murder of [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

The announcement of George H. Moore, for the office of Justice of the [illegible]

[illegible] pears in todays issue.

Mr. Moore needs no introduction to the voters of Benton Township where he has served the public in different public offices for the past [illegible] years

He has just completed a very [illegible]cessful term as Justice of the peace, and seeks re-election on the Democratic ticket feeling that his past experience will enable him to handle the duties of the office, even more [illegible]iently than before.

BOY SCOUT STORY FEATURE TODAY'S ISSUE

Interesting Facts Revealed Regarding Boy Camp Near Gorveille.

To-day's issue of the Evening News carries a special feature, in the nature of a very interesting Boy Scout article compiled by "Tex" Shaver, Coal Belt Scout executi[illegible]

This issue is known as a spec[illegible] Boy Scout issue, and is the first one

[illegible] tion of the paper, a[illegible] rrangements have been made with Scout officials to place a copy of the Scout Edition in the hands of every Boy Scout and [illegible]st official in both Franklin and Williamson County.

The article, which includes a panoramic view of the beautiful Boy Scout reservation located a few miles south of Goreville, Illinois, where extensive preparations are being made for the summer opening, and where hundreds of Boy Scouts will be given an opportunity to enjoy a real outdoor vacation this summer.

[illegible] y and history of the [illegible] from the time of the

[illegible] the past and what is expected [illegible] future. And should be of great in[illegible] to all parents as well as mem[illegible]

[illegible] stealing a car from [illegible] between Zeigler and [illegible] verdict of guilty, [illegible]tenced to the Hil[illegible] [illegible] for an inde[illegible] [illegible] ury had been [illegible] y evening.

NEW TRAFFIC RULES WILL BE ENFORCED

Officers Ask Co-Operation of Public in Assisting Fire Department.

Yesterday afternoon Benton's new fire engine made its first appearance on the streets, the machine was taken out to the Old Mine Pond for a try out of its pumps. Everything was found to be in first class condition. The demonstration was put on by E. V. Bain, expert machinist for the [illegible] as sent here to instruct

750 gallons of water per minute with a pressure ranging from 100 to 300 pounds, thus enabling the firemen to

the same time over the tallest building in the city

The truck is equipped with a 150

[illegible] fire [illegible]

BAPTISTS ENJOY [illegible] LUNCHEON

The adult department of the Baptist [S]unday school, with their families enjoyed a social at the church last even[illegible]

all families. The feast was spread on one long table and while the Sunday [illegible] orchestra played, two [illegible] marched around the table filling their plates with all good things to eat. Tables were arranged so that each family could sit together.

After the dinner hour a short program was given with Judge T. J. Layman acting as master of ceremon[illegible]

ed the first entertainment with an [illegible] fashioned sewing bee which as usual told all the gossip, told as only grandmothers can tell it.

John Payne's class of young ladies came next with their usual line of [illegible]

impersonated for us in such a way that it took little imagination to be[illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. Grammer, is well known [illegible] out the township, and has

Boy Scouts to Meet Monday

A mistake was made in a recent ar[illegible] le announcing a meeting of the Boy Scouts at the Baptist church in which a number of notable speakers are on the program for Scout lectures.

The meeting will be held at the First Baptist church, Monday evening at 6 o'clock.

The meeting will be of [illegible] [illegible] it is hoped that a large number will be on hands.

Funeral For Pitts Boy Will Be Held At 9 Tomorrow

[illegible], who died Wednesday night

Interment will follow at the Cath[olic] cemetery west of the city

Funeral For Mrs. Emma Hobbs Will Be Held Saturday

The funeral services for Mrs. Emma

[illegible] ing interment at the Clarke cemetery north of Benton.

IN MEMORY OF THE MAINE

The citizens and soldiers of all wars under the auspices of the Egyptian C[amp] 106 of Spanish American war veterans, Benton, Illinois, will meet

The State Encampment and Reunion, by Judge E. E. [illegible]

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Sugar Cured Bacon . . . 25c
Boiling Beef . . 6c
Frankfurts 20c
Best Beef Roast 14c
Hamburger 10c
Pork Shoulder 16c
PEAS Per Can 9c
19c
POTATOES per peck 25c
40c
1 Dozen for 19c
8c
Wild Rose Corn 25c
15c

YOUNG MERCANTILE COMPANY

PERSONAL

HOLY GRAIL SERVES MAR VALENTINE PARTY

The Holy Grail Shrine No. 50, White Shrine of Jerusalem, used their regular meeting time last night to give a Valentine party, which was very much enjoyed by everyone present.

Dr. Mae McIntosh and her assistants had beautifully decorated the hall with the National colors and hearts and cupids.

of Johnston City.

and homemade short-cloud cook

SOLE

ent to enjoy the evening. The home was very prettily decorated to carry

and Meredith Dobey. Dainty refreshments were served.

MRS. HARRY MOORE ENTERTAINS PRIMROSE

Mrs. Harry Moore entertained at

street, Thursday night. Two tables of bridge were formed, Mrs. Harry Philp

Mathis consolation.

We want to thank our many friends for their assistance during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Lucinda Smith. — Children and Grandchildren.

EPWORTH LEAGUE NOTES

The league for the past two months have been having for their devotional hour, a missionary study of China. Last Sunday's service was "Come Ye Apart for Faith." The discussion was led by miss Iwana. Previous topics were "New Minds in Old Lands," "What Now Chine Thinks and Does."

need of America, but this seldom that we reverse the question. The leader

Agricultural Activities

By E. L. Kessler
Farm Bureau Manager

trade system

National standardization of

ment of poultry and egg marketing, L. A. A.

tination, which recently met in Chicago, is responsible for the move to standardize the egg industry through-

ed practically all of the recommendations made by the federal Department

Economics as to specifications of egg grades.

It is believed according to egg marketing authorities that before very much progress is made in conforming to these standards, which are radically different from present terminal market questions, three fundamental

"The change from the old system, under which there were no uniform standards among egg buyers, to the new system, is sure to come, "Gouge" declares. "Eventually every egg market will use these standards. The farmers however, will be made grade-

Seven grades will be used in the new system, as follows: U. S. Specials U. S. Extras, U. S. No. 1, U. S. No. 2 S. No. 1, Dirty, U S/No 2, Dirties, and U. S. Checks. The quality factors determining these grades, as established by the national committee, are the conditions of the egg shell, the yolk, white and germ. A special committee is working now on the factors of size, flavor, and "tolerance." A chart has been devised by the federal Bureau of Agricultural Economics by which the egg trade may be guided in marketing the eggs according to the U. S. Standards, Gouge

Hog cholera in Illinois is under continuous fire and will be undermined from all sides this year, according to

County Farm Bureau, from Wm. S. Hedgecock, director of livestock marketing

The board of directors of the Illinois Farm Bureau Serum Association Association, Serum, it is averred, will including Wm. S. Hedgecock, L. A. A. director of livestock marketing, met recently with representatives of eight

the 1922 supply of serum for the Farm Bureau. The L. A. A. expects

soliciting in any Illinois county until after the expiration of a three-weeks period, the date of expiration to be

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Contrell, C. E. Dobey, C. H. Hudson

of West Frankfort.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn and family visit the parents, with Mr. Verlie.

See the Home Millinery for your up-to-date hats. 602 N. McKinnon st.

Wp Lyle Hickory Sid Lyle is the guest of Mrs Frank Davis.

Seeds of all kinds—Browning's Rock Store.

in West Frankfort was completely destroyed by fire.

Sow lawn grass now.—Browning's 3572

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Ed Shanks, who departed this life two years ago, today, Feb. 13, 1922.

Just a thought at sweet remembrance
Just a memory fond and true,
Just a token of affection,
And a heartache still for you.
Just a sigh for the other moments,
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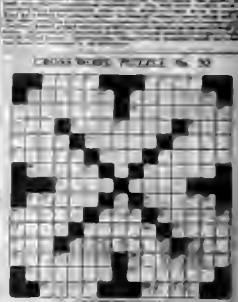

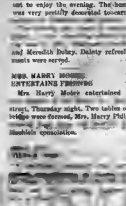

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NOTICE!

I have purchased the A-[illegible] Beauty Shop, 601 E. [illegible] St., "Pearl." Have [illegible] "dolled up" for spring. Washing and grooming at reasonable prices and work guaranteed. Cara [illegible]

WALTER PLANKINSON

Coal Belt Boy Scout Reservation At

Who hath smelled wood-smoke at twilight?
Who hath heard the birch-log burning?
Who is quick to read the noises of the night,
Let him follow with the others,
For the young men's feet are turning
To camps of proved desire and delight.

The Boy Scout Camp in the southern hills conducted under the auspices of the Coal Belt Council, Boy Scouts of America, will open for its second season Wednesday, June 24th at noon.

The opening of the second season after a year of most careful study [illegible] Camp Committee will mark a new [illegible] in the history of out-door camping [illegible] boys in Southern Illinois. [illegible] at first was admittedly an experiment among boys of the Coal [illegible] fact. Men of vision, who because of their great love for boys and interest in their welfare, brought into being [illegible] immediate attention towards securing [illegible] they might camp under competent leadership, far from the streets of the city and yet near enough to a [illegible] community for safety. During the early months of the spring the Camp committee spent [illegible] tramping over the available [illegible] of which there were many [illegible] and woodland and journeyed [illegible] farm to farm. They knew what they wanted for every member of the representative committee had certain ideas in mind.

Jack Kuykendall of Marion, the first Council president, had the boy continually in mind and besides other things demanded that there be (a) plenty of fun; recreation games, [illegible] wit and humor, and something of general hilarity; (b) good and plentiful [illegible] wholesome food well prepared and served in a manner to satisfy the boy's appetite. A well fed part of campers will be willing to overlook many short comings and defects along other lines, while hungry boys' appetites will ruin the morale of the best equipped and most carefully selected camp; (c) thrills and adventure. These must be a part of the camp, or the boy is not satisfied that the camp is really genuine—mountain climbing, swimming, boating, life saving and water craft ex[illegible] and stunts, guard duty at [illegible] campfire stunts and pro[illegible] caves, wood trails and of[illegible]

[illegible] the camp committee and worked [illegible] "Jack" is seeing that the site [illegible] be chosen satisfied the parents [illegible] who were to send their Scout sons [illegible] camp.

Fred Drayer of West Frankfort [illegible] one of these. He demanded [illegible] Dr. E. C. Alvis of Benton and Dr. Norris of Marion, that the camp must provide: (a) Safety, proper adult supervision, good shelter, absence of unnecessary hazards and proper medical supervision; (b) opportunity for growth and physical development, proper nourishment, exercise and sleep; (c) educational and [illegible]

[illegible] enforce its own rules and regulations. Safety, health and happiness all depend upon the disciplining of the camp.

In April the Bi-County Council employed its first executive in the person of W. Waldo Shaver, who during the first summer and the past twelve months has become known to hundreds of boys and men as "Tex." As he tramped over the hill sides he spoke of such things as (a) drainage; (b) sunshine; (c) shelters, (d) troop camps where the various troops might come to develop group loyalty, strengthen friendships and develop leadership. There were a host of other things which the committee in common discussed with P. F. Wilson, civil [illegible]

These include a sufficient quantity of fresh, pure water. The development of a sanitation and sewerage system, the disposal of garbage, transportation and the future growth [illegible]

WHERE THE CAMP IS

To Mrs. Jack Kuykendall belongs the honor of suggesting the actual site finally chosen by the committee. Three miles south of Goreville and eighteen miles south of Marion, a little stream beginning at the side of a road cuts across a pasture and rippling for a time over the stones, plunges over a gigantic limestone cavern fifty feet or more in height and rests for a time in a pool in the cavern mouth. For a half mile or more it decends through a broad tree-lined valley entirely surrounded by high cliffs similar to the [illegible] and then winding around a beautiful grassy knoll it is joined by another small stream, and turning southward enters a wide rippling spring fed stream known as Dutchmen's Creek. The land, from a hundred yards above the falls to about a similar distance below the mouth of the little stream as it flows into Dutchmen's Creek, and from the edge of the cliff on one side of the valley to the rim of hills on the other, comprises the two-hundred and thirty-five acres, the Boy Scout Rese[illegible]tion. On the hill opposite the knoll upon which the camp is located is the farm house and barns. Stretching out over a gently rolling hillside behind the buildings and dipping into the valley of Little Dutchmen's Creek is a thirty-five acre orchard, beautiful with blossoms in the spring and laden with ripening fruit in the [illegible] at the camp on the knoll, a wonderful [illegible] is unfolded." As far as the [illegible] can see are rounded ridges green with the foliage of summer. Hundreds of species of trees and plants beginning with the Red Cedar dotted like Christmas trees over the fields of waving grass and yellow daises. Blue and gray cliffs stare out of the foliage and now and then one can detect a trail worn by the Scouts in their explorations and visits to the spring in the cliffs.

Across the hills, over the tall flagstaff, a quarter of a mile away can be seen the smoke of a train [illegible] stops for the Boy Scout Camp station. It may be either a Bur[illegible] or a Chicago & Eastern Illinois passenger train, as both roads use the [illegible] their parents. The former connects with Herrin, [illegible] minutes by train from the reservation is the village of Goreville. The business of the camp is done through this progressive little town. Here is located the telephone office with branch pay station at Camp. Here [illegible] where a competent physician resides who may be reached at all times and here also is the postoffice through which the Scouts receive their mail. The village, however, is an unimportant item in the life of a Scout at camp. He merely passes through on his way to the reservation either by train or auto. Few of the Scouts stop and when once in camp a visit to the village is against the rules. A good road connects Goreville with Marion. It is also on the proposed route of the new concrete road to the south and it is hoped that many months will not elapse before a hard road will be built almost to the gates of the camp.

THE CAMP COMMITTEE

In the organization of a [illegible] Council there are six standing committees. Chief of these committees is the one on Camping, for a Scout spends much of his time in the open. In the Coal Belt Council there are eight organized districts or local Councils including Christopher, Benton, West Frankfort, Zeigler, Johnston City, Carterville, Herrin and [illegible] cluded in District Eight with Christopher, but this spring will be organized as a separate unit. At the time this is being written an invitation is being extended to DuQuoin to organise a Council and join with the other nine.

The Camp Committee Chairman of the ten local Council, men of wide experience in camping activities and in many cases fathers of boys in camp, compose the camping committee of the Coal Belt Council and have complete charge of the Scout reservation, being responsible only to the Executive Board of the Council. The Scout Executive, W Waldo [illegible]haver, who acts as the director of the camp, is responsible to and is supervised by the Camp Committee.

In order that the Camp Committee might have the fullest acquaintance with every situation and as much expert help as possible in the development of the lads for this summer, a number of parents and other men of special technical training have been added to the committee. Others will be added from time to time until camp opens on June 24th. The committee meets each month and at the present time is made u[illegible] of the following men. Fred Drayer, West Frankfort, Chairman; Dr. E. [illegible] Standlif Herrin, Senator William J. Sneed, Herrin, Elmer Lovell, Zeigler; George Watson, Carterville; P. B. Wilson, Marion; Dr. H. D. Nor[illegible] Marion; Edward M. Stotlar, Ma[illegible] A. J. Kuykendall, Marion, Claude Starr, Marion, Sam Arsht, West Frankfort; C. A. Dorst, We[illegible] Frankfort; Paul Smith, West Frankfort

PAID LEADERSHIP

The active management of the reservation and the camp is again in charge of W Waldo Shaver, Coal Belt Council Scout [illegible] is known to hu[illegible] boys throughout the [illegible] "Tex." Mr. Shaver [illegible] of experience to draw [illegible] management of [illegible] the development of [illegible] As a leader and camper at the Wi[illegible] consin State Y. M. C. A. Camp at Phantom Lake near Milwaukee, Wis. Later he became the director in the pioneer work at Camp Manitowish, located in the north woods of Wisconsin near the Michigan border.

After studying camping and work with boys at the Y. M. C. A. summer schools at Lake Geneva, Wi[illegible] he founded Camp Pomaikai, the student camp at Kaneohe Bay near Honolulu, in the Hawaiian Islands. In 1921-22-23 he acted as director of Camp Jewell, the Hartford Young Men's Christian Association camp, in New Hampshire at the foot of Mt. Manadnock. In the fall of 1923 he co-operated in the work of the High School Boys' camp at Columbus, Nebraska, known as Camp Sheldon. From there he came to us.

Associated with Mr. Shaver this summer will be two paid men, the Camp Committee having authorized this additional leadership at a recent meeting. These men will be chosen because of their especial fitness aside from character qualifi[illegible] the teaching and supe[illegible] swimming, life saving, group games, [illegible] A fourth member of the staff will be added because of the splendid courtesy of the Benton Evening News in printing this folder free of charge. The money which would [illegible] to have been spent on a folder will go [illegible] from the Winnebago Indian Reservation at Tomah, Wisconsin. Correspondence is being carried on at the present time with several young educated Indians who have been attending the National Scoutcraft Training Conferences at Cul[illegible]ion. The Indian will be responsible for the teaching of Indian Pageantry, Woodcraft, Bead Work Nature Study, Indian Dances and Camp Fire Programs.

VOLUNTEER [illegible]

Perhaps more important than the above paid leadership, is the volunteer leadership which has been the secret of the growth of Scouting.

The Scouts in camp are divided into groups of eight and ten known as tent families. This same family group is maintained at the table in the dining room and [illegible] tivities. At the hea[illegible] is a Scoutmaster or leader who acts as the Scouts' confident and leader, and who is chosen because of his qualifications of character, love of boys, ability to work with boys and to inspire manliness and leadership in [illegible] a top age boy. The rule of the camp is founded on the Scout Oath and Law and during our first summer, as it is indeed true of every boys' camp, a few matters of petty discipline came to the Camp Director. A boy must fit in or simmer to the group. The volunteer leader acts as the balance, giving of his counsel and guidance, and acting in concert with the rest of the leadership staff, keeps each Scout constantly striving to higher attainments. This is true of table manners, courtesy, fair [illegible] as it is of Scout advancement.

[illegible] leader's council, go to the Camp Director.

Many of the men serving at the present time as Scoutmasters and Troop Committeemen will be present at the camp this summer in the capacity of tent Scoutmasters and Councilor [illegible]

NO SMOKING

The use of tobacco in any form is forbidden committeemen, directors, scoutmasters and boys during their stay at camp.

[illegible]

Any Boy Scout who is officially registered and in good standing at the Coal Belt Council office thirty days previous to the opening of the camp, may attend. In other words a boy must have at least one month's service as a tenderfoot Scout before he is eligible to camp.

The only exception that will be made to this rule will be in a case of a boy who becomes twelve years of age, and therefore entitled [illegible] ter Scouting, between M[illegible] June 24th. In the latter [illegible] may enter camp when he enters [illegible] outing, and on his twelfth birth[illegible]

HOW TO ENROLL

Camp applications may be secured from any Scout, Scoutmaster, local Council member or from the Coal Belt Council office, 219 Masonic Building, West Frankfort, Illinois.

The application is divided into two sections. The first part should be filled out in ink and forwarded with $1.00 application fee to Camp Di[illegible] sonic Building, West Frankfort, Illinois. The application fee is not included in the cost of board. As the camp is operated at cost this fee takes care of the printing, postage in connection with advertising the camp, and communicating with the parents.

The second part of the application is a physician's certificate. Do not send this in until about a week before your boy starts to camp. It is necessary that the manage[illegible] know that your boy is in good [illegible] that his teeth are in good co[illegible] and that at the time of his [illegible]

THE CAMP PERIO[illegible]

[illegible] for this is obvious. It takes him two or three days to settle down and [illegible] and in order to [illegible] can do so. You need not register in advance for more than one period. If your boy had been at camp and wants to register for four or six weeks, it would help the management if he would do so.

REFUNDS

There will be no refunds of money for board other than in case of sickness or dismissal from the camp.

WHAT WILL IT COST

The camp committee, after a careful study, have set the price for board at Five Dollars ($5.00) per week, payable in advance. There [illegible] no other expenses. Make all checks out to W B [illegible] Treasurer, Coal Belt Council, Boy Scouts of America.

WILL YOUR BOY BE SAFEGUARDE[illegible]

From the time a Scout arrives in camp until his departure he is under the constant supervision of a Scoutmaster or leader. At no time is he allowed to leave the boundaries of the reservation without the permission of the camp director. Parents should co-operate in this regard by not sending their sons money to make purchases in Goreville. A barber will spend one afternoon a week at the camp.

Many of the Scoutmasters are trained First Aid men and are al[illegible] ways on hand to treat minor bruises and injuries. For anything more serious a physician is within reach and may be called at any time.

During hikes and overnight trips the Scouts are always under capable leadership.

Poison ivy, poison oak and chiggers are prevalent on the Scout reservation as they are to be found in the woods in almost every section of the country. A Scout must learn to recognize poison weeds and leave them alone. The same is true with chiggers. During our experience last summer two Scouts had encoun[illegible] and one with chiggers.

Scouts are only allowed to swim [illegible] a definite time and place. A [illegible]k is made of every Scout before [illegible] enter the water and during the [illegible]me they are in they are paired off. A boy who cannot pick out his "buddy" at any time must come out [illegible]

Camp is a poor place to spend money. All Scouts whether rich or [illegible] Scout camp are. In addition he had given him a blank check, signed with his name, which could be drawn upon for any amount [illegible] or four days [illegible] around and lined up as usual with [illegible] the candy store. He spent all he could the first day. The second day he found that he did not need as much, and within a week he had written his last check on the camp store. When we broke camp the lad had a balance of $29.40. The [illegible]

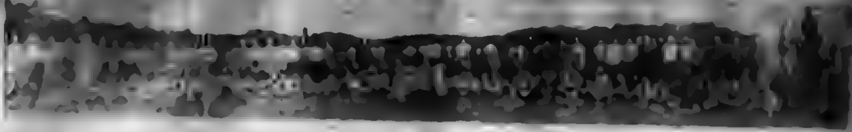
[illegible] it is required in the wa[illegible] of clothes. He should have several changes and by doing his washing regularly at [illegible] near neat and clean. On[illegible] a Scout is required to w[illegible] form if he has one. He will need the following: Two or three pairs [illegible], heavy blankets or equivalent, small soft pillow [illegible] nd mate, belt, [illegible] ticles will be found useful, such as [illegible] raincoat or poncho, small mirror, camera, some old dresses and wigs for stunt[illegible]

The Scouts are quartered in 12x14 tents, well protected from sun and rain. The boys will sleep on cots and mattresses [illegible] parents [illegible]

WHAT WILL THEY EAT

What mother is [illegible] who has not [illegible] ed out at the enormous quantities of food that her growing son con[illegible] haps she will bear with the camp director as he makes his preparation for this season's commissary. Some of the items are 100 quarts of milk a day, 400 pounds or more of sugar, 200 pounds of lard, 200 pounds of beans, 500 pounds of butter, cornflakes and crackers by the case and box, 100 pounds cocoa, macaroni, oatmeal and rice in large quantities.

All of the commissary list is ma[illegible] up to fit a certain well prepared balanced menu, designed to meet the [illegible] considerable quantities of green vegetables and fresh fruits from the [illegible] growing boys. He will have an assistant in the kitchen besides the services of a number of older Scouts who will compose the K. P. Squad.



Goreville, Ill., To Open June 24, 1925

6:00—Reveille.

6:03—Setting up e...

6:10—Morning ...

7:30—Morning song at the table and password service

8:00—Camp Duties "All Must Work."

...aft, Woodcraft and Study Period

11:00—Swimming period.

...0—Rest hour and camp store ... Athletics.

4:00—Swimming period ... Scoutmaster's Council

7:00—Evening games.

...0—Story telling, stunt night camp fire, etc

9:00—Taps. Lights out for nine hours sleep

The ideals of the best things in Scouting are built into the camp program.

The motto: "Each for all and all for each," is built into the fabric of each day's activities from the time ... blows. Mothers ... accustomed to call their ... from five to twenty times to get them up for breakfast, would have the surprise of their lives to see that same boy rise and line up with the rest in front of the flag pole in less than thirty seconds. There are no second calls. Woe unto him if he does not hear the first notes of the bugle for every boy in camp is striving to win the honors for his tent each day.

Th... there is the dip in the cool ... of Dutchmen's Creek. It is preceded by a stiff setting up drill which sends the warm blood tingling to every part of the body. A brisk rubbing with a rough towel and a climb up the knoll prepares a boy for a warm breakfast.

The sun is just rising over the cedar covered cliffs when breakfast is over and the password service be-... songs, a real organ furnishing the music, and then one of the Scoutmasters gives the password for the day. It may be Truthfulness, Honesty, Courtesy—but whatever it is a story goes with it out of the experience of a man interested in building character in the lives of boys.

AND THEN "ALL MUST WORK"

One of the finest lessons that a Scout learns at the reservation is that there is work to do in camping and that as a member of a group ... must do his share. This is one of the greatest lessons to be learned in life and if learned young enough becomes a fixed habit when boyhood ends and manhood begins.

The work is graded to fit the ability of the Scout. No one is asked to tackle a job too big for him. It may be washing dishes, gra... road, carrying supplies, piling rock cleaning a spring, cutting wood carrying garbage to the incinerator or a hundred and one other things that are necessary in a large camp for boys.

The groups work under the supervision of a Scoutmaster who him... to the task which lasts ... At 9 o'clock recall is ...

... OF INSTRUCTION

CAMPCRAFT

Class A—Bed making, blanket rolls, long and short packs, tent pitching, making lean tos, camp shelters.

Class B—Fire building, fire lighting, heating fires, cooking fires, camp kitchens, camp fireplaces, camp utensils, fire by friction sets, etc

Class C—Camp cooking without utensils, camp cooking with utensils, special camp dishes, edible wild plants and foods, preparation of plants, etc.

Class D—Use of compa... finding directions without compass choosing camp sites, camp sanitatio... supplies and drainage

Class E—Weather signals, weather flags, barometer reading, wind directions, types of clouds, relative humidity, nature's weather, signals, ...

HANDICRAFT

Class A—Elementary use of knife and axe, care of knife and axe, sharpening knife and axe, articles of handicraft made with use of only knife and axe.

Class B—Advanced use of knife and axe,—log cabin building, Indian wigwam building, suspension bridges,

Class C—(If an Indian can be secured)—Pottery, basket weaving, bead work, and an article in any one of the above handicrafts

INSTRUCTOR IN NATURE STUDY

As this camp announcement go... to press, word has been received that the first member of the corps of instructors for the camp has been chosen. Mr. E. Y. Smith of the University of Illinois, will be at the camp this summer as instructor in Nature Study. Mr. Smith is a native of Southern Illinois and is thoroughly familiar with the rocks, trees and plant life of this region. He is a graduate of the Botanical department of the University of Illinois and also has studied extensively the rock and soil formations of Johnson county.

A chef, instructor in swimming, ... one in athletics, is still to be secured.

WATER ACTIVITIES

Class A—Elementary swimming.

Class ...

Class ... tary first aid.

Class E—Advanced first aid, signalling

Class F—Scout tests.

... feeding, bird housing, migra...

Class C—Advanced trees and ...

Class B—Elementary semaphore, wig wag, smoke signals.

Class C—Trailing, tracking, trail marks, signs and symbols in the woods, copying trail marks, judging heighth and distances, actual measurement of distances.

Class D—Stars, star groups, constellations

Class E—Mapping and panoramic sketching

Class F—Dog packing, horse packing and portaging, use of tump line.

REST HOUR

The first hour after the noon day ... boy in camp must lie on his cot or go off quietly by himself and rest. In the development of the growing boy, this is important for his body is far outgrowing the ability of his heart to furnish blood. The rest period gives his heart a chance to catch up and be prepared for the work of the afternoon. Books and magazines will be furnished to the boys to use during this rest hour.

ATHLETICS

A proper amount of time is included in the camp program for competitive athletics. The entire camp is divided into two sides called the Americans and Nationals. This division is made irrespective of a boys ... and weight and choosing being done by two popular Scoutmasters. Each side is then divided into four teams—A, B, C, and D. Team A is made up of the larger boys and so on down to team D which is composed of the little fellows. Team A Nationals contests against Team A Americans in baseball. Team B Nationals contests against Team B Americans in volleyball. Team C Nationals plays Team C Americans ...ack, while Team D Nationals plays Team D Americans in field events.

Five points are given first place, three points second and one point for third. ... the younger boys counts just as much as the older boys and it keeps everyone happy and full of pep. The games played alternate each afternoon for the entire period at camp and the points are announced each night at the supper table, amid cheers and yells. The losing team at the end of the two weeks period must eat bean soup while the winners have chicken pie.

FLAG SERVICE

... noon the long shadows ... the orchard and ... sun prepares to plunge beneath horizon. A cannon is fired ... the flag comes slowly down the tall white staff, the camp bugler plays "To the Colors" followed by national anthem. By the time it is finished the sun has gone to rest and supper calls for the hungry Scouts.

EVENING PROGRAMS

... their tents, pitch horseshoes, play ... frogs. Others study Scout manuals in preparation for the tests on the morrow, while others wonder over the cliffs back of the dining hall.

And then darkness comes. The lanterns are lighted and the bugle blows assembly.

Perhaps tonight it will be down in the "Old Kettle Hole" where a huge pile of firewood has been erected. There will be songs and stories of the delicious kind—thrills enough for any boy.

Or perhaps it will be back in the famous cavern. A fire will be built, lighting up the huge stone cliffs, frightening the bats and other night prowlers. Here is the favorite set... of the boys for ghost stories for as the flames die down the flickering embers mark fantastic shapes upon the moss covered walls of stone. A wind whistles through the old silo in the cavern mouth and some one groans. Far off down the valley comes the call of the bugle—it's taps. Fifteen minutes more.

As the tired gang wends its way back to the tents there are the sacred moments of boyhood, and looser grow the latch strings of the heart.

The day is done—the bugler blow taps. The first tent with lights out receives the "stag banner" proposed by "Jack." Jackson, the camp director, and assistants sit upon the steps of the dining hall and watch the tent lights fade out—one by one. Comes the sound of the bugle again. 'Tis the notes of the evening hymn and from the tents come the sound of boyish voices. Evening prayers.

The hymn is ended. As the last notes echo back from Bald Rock Mountain across the valley, the last light flickers and is gone. Only a solitary beam marks where the first aid tent is. The camp is asleep.

Game and hike and swimming ended
Lake aflame with setting sun;
Camp-fire glow with twilight blended
Bugle-call, the day is done.

In the hush, a boy's voice follows,
Uttering an evening prayer,
Stars and woods and lake his altars,
God is very near him there.

EACH BOY HAS A NUMBER

Upon enrolling for the camp, each applicant is given a number. This number is issued him permanently and is never given to another camper. This num...

... camp, the "lost and ... call ... with ... at the ...

... bers in the future development of the reservation. Consequently Sunday is set aside as visitors day. Because of the large number who took advantage of this privilege last year, the committee has decided that no meals be furnished to visitors and all are warned to bring their own lunches.

NO SCOUT WILL ACCEPT A BOX FROM HOME

In visiting the camp, however, parents are warned against bringing in boxes of food and candy to their sons. This is positively f... The commissary department is especially designed to meet the needs of growing boys and plenty of fruit and vegetables are provided. The visit to the camp store once a day with a ten-cent purchase is enough for any boy. Boxes of food and candy sent through the mails will be ...

THE BROWNING MEMORIAL CUP

One of the most unique awards made in camp is that of the Browning Memorial Cup. This is awarded each year to the Scout who stands out in camp as the best all round example of Scouting. The decision is made by the camp directors, with the guidance of the volunteer leaders in camp. The award is a gift of the official Boy Scout outfitter, Tom Browning, of the Benton Council, in memory of his son, Boxton, who passed away several years ago. It was awarded the first summer to Scout R. Z. Hickman of Benton.

A second award which a Scout may win in camp is the Advancement Cup given by the West Frankfort Council. This is awarded to the Scout who passes the most tests in camp. It was won last year by Scout Herbert Slayton of Benton.

SUNDAY IN CAMP

In the office of the Scout Executive there hangs on the wall the pictures of five boys. They are the boys who have been with "Tex" in camp during several seasons ... members of his Junior Staff. One only has to glance at the faces to see the soul of boyhood laid bare and to see in each the germ which develops the character of the man.

The camp on Sunday is a place with no veneer. The Scouts rise one hour later than usual and just at o...

... as soon as the dishes are ... the camp is ... until time for the morning ...

Dinner is served and followed ...

... Bible are read and character b... ing stories are told.

Perhaps two letters will illustrate better than anything else the value of the Sunday program in camp. The first is a letter received by a "Dad" from his son.

Dear Father:

I am not over exercising or worrying about a thing. I am getting stronger and learning more every day, and have just learned to swim. I am working a little every day to pass my tests and come home First Class Scout.

There is a peach of a fellow down here. He is the best fellow I ever ... He not only has a lot of tests passed, but I think he will get the silver cup which is to be given to the best Scout. He lives up to the Scout law every minute.

There are hundreds of various kinds of trees here on our camp farm and yesterday I picked and ate two hats full of blackberries.

Father, I can't tell you how grateful I am for this privilege of com...

... know I always resolve to do ... but by the next night I have forgotten, while down here every night we have vespers with a ... And another thing is that every Scout has the same things to live up to and if someone falls short, we are all willing to help him out, and he does not consider it a disgrace. Then there is the physical side of it. Everyone is developed physically. Some try more than others, but everyone gets some physical development.

Yours with love.

The other letter was written by the mother of a Scout. It tells its own story:

"We think and speak of you very often and, what we did at camp, is the order here at home just at present. I feel very grateful to every one of ... men who have made and who are making the camp what it is, and for what you have done for my boy this summer. I am also glad to say that many of ...

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In addition to this they want to know the local and domestic news, the news of the world and the features that come regularly in this paper.

In order that the Rural Route Patrons may become acquainted with the value of the Evening News as a Home Paper, we are going to make a special offer for one month only, and when that time has expired we hope to show a subscription list that will cover the rural districts of Franklin county like Santa Claus' beard covers his face.

For the next thirty days ending March 2, 1925, we will offer the Evening News in Clubs of five NEW subscribers at $2.75 each for a full year's subscription. No such offer as this has ever before been made. It may never be duplicatde.

If you are now getting the Evening News regularly, show this offer to some neighbor and let them work up a club of five and get in on this wonderful offer.

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ious season! Nature changes its colors and

to the tastes of well dressed men who want their

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Yours very truly,

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BUY CHEAP!

GIVE US A CHANCE TO SAVE YOU MONEY

Hand Picked Navy Beans per pound	9c		
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S. Cracker package	8c	Heavy Blue Sh	10c
	72c		10c
Omega Rice Bran	21c		10c
2 for	15c		18c
per dozen	23c		25c
Crackers	42c		50c
	13c		$1.00
	10c		15c

produce.

SEEBER'S

AND DISCUSS LEAGUE TEAM

Continued from Page Four

to reach out and import high priced players at an expense that would prohibit such club financially and detrimental to the league as a whole.

The newspapers in each of the towns represented will of course give detailed accounts of the games played during the season, giving the percentage and standing of each team as the season progresses.

Pursuant applications will begin to come in each camp and the honor as well as financial benefits to be derived from a post-season series will cause the players to put forth their very best in order to land their club on top at the end of the season.

It is further pointed out that the formation of this league will not interfere in any marked degree with the

CAPITOL

JACKIE COOGAN

Long Live The King

Also

and the Comedy 10c and 25c

STAR Theatre

and Sat.

BOB CUSTER

Wm. Duncan
Edith Johnson

"The Fast Express"

Classified Ads

FOR RENT—5-room house with James. 30tf

WANTED

WANTED—nursing by experienced nurse.—Mrs. E. Wade, Rural City Box 8.

WANTED—plain and fancy sewing. 302 A West Church. Opal Wolcotte. 3tpd

WANTED—A neat appearing young man between ages of 18 and 25 to travel with manager, permanent position with good income and good opportunity for advancement. Apply Mr.

FOR SALE—Shoat weighs about 100 lbs. Phone 2 on 1. 30tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farm large or small.—See C. W. Hodges at Whittington. 30tf

[illegible] not conflict [illegible] dependent [illegible]

[illegible] strong team in the field but Ohio

Let us all help to place a Benton in the homes and when we next [illegible]

and purchases we may call the business on the first season's efforts.

Ancient Carvings Discovered

Carvings on rocks recently discovered [illegible]

[illegible] Traffic violations. Strict they must [illegible] greatly to the effect

[illegible] Sundown

FOR SALE—my new home in De Witt addition; 8 rooms, hall and bath, basement, lights, city water, double garage, east front with long porch [illegible] Call 200 or write T. C. Stonecipher, Carterville. 30tp

[illegible] will be two wagons instead one, as heretofore. The public must look out for the second wagon. The new truck will load, with the old truck, which has been converted into a chemical wagon, possibly a block behind. All cars are cautioned to remain parked [illegible] feet for some time, but which will be rigidly enforced hereafter, in the one

[illegible] hard road to Country Club; reward. [illegible]

[illegible] Country Club, Adv. Jerome [illegible] Other may have same by paying for [illegible]

[illegible] Clayton feel [illegible] will do their part, in co-operating with the department, but want it strictly understood that any violating any of the traffic rules will be subject to heavy fines'

[illegible] Clayton [illegible] Ill. 30tp

[illegible] Coal Co., Ill. 30tp to

[illegible] to Frankfort Heights.

[illegible] Williams to Geo Flammond, warranty deed, con $1, [illegible]

[illegible] and Sampson, add to Benton

[illegible] Quinton, war. deed, con $1, lot 2 [illegible] Park, add to W. Frankfort

[illegible] Kate H. Hill to E. E. Bundy, war

[illegible] Tuesday

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

[illegible] to Frankfort Heights.

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Center Drug Goods Co.

Here are Some Good Buys for Tomorrows Shoppers

[illegible] yard

$1.00

[illegible]

$1.00

69c

89c

The Roseland Syncopators

Will Play for the Elks Open House Dance, Friday Night

Our Saturday Specials!

$1.00

25c

25c

10c

per package

Lyon's Best Flour, $1.35

10 pound sack 35c

[illegible] 15c

[illegible] 6c

Leaf L[illegible] 20c

5c

20c

[illegible]ete assortment of Fresh Vegetables, Green Onions, Radishes, Parsnips, Carrots, Grape Fruit, etc.

Cash Store

[illegible]

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Fancy Chuck ROAST 14c

Frankforts 18c

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BOILING BEEF, lb. 7c

No 10 Pail Pure LARD $1.75

Fresh Tripe 10c

Plenty Pig Hearts 10c

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East Main Street - Phone [illegible]

Benton Evening News

BENTON, ILLINOIS, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14.

ONE DEAD IN TWO MILLION DOLLAR FIRE LOSS

Diggers Only Three Feet Away From Entombed Explorer

CORONER'S JURY INQUIRES INTO BAILEY'S DEATH

ECONOMY IS KEYNOTE OF STATE BUDGET

LOCAL OFFICER COMES NEAR LOSING AUTO

KANSAS CITY HAS BIG BLAZE LAST NIGHT

OFFICERS FIND GREAT PARTY LAST NIGHT

Lemon Looted

Jollets

, whose relatives re-
, Sutherland and having a real cele-
of a number of the

to misconduct on the part of anyone.
The place was searched and a pint
of "Bud" was found. Mrs. Shrobby
was arrested and placed in the com-
by jail, the inspector of the grand were
ordered to report to the sheriffs of-
today Officer Hodge took a gun

cracking good time when the officers

Unique Laws

racing, lotteries and all kinds of sport
and hangfig for such crimes are a
few of the things advocated by John

Genius pictures in pressing use
estate dealer, formerly a horse shoer,

LRING

[its road to the natural rock trap where]

[from the diggers on the rescue scene
at 9:00 this morning, according to

highway department who
sent a telegram to the Gov-
[lived 8 which Sunday night as the
[ut one-half hours to complete three

carts slid to be secured is a layer of
feet thick, H. T. Carmichael in charge

to Collins.
[ty can reach Collins.

[at Cave intended the men in the
rescue shaft being sunk to Collins,
[ambulance. More small crevices found

Frank Wenner Are Training For

[CLEMONPORS, Pinland, Feb. 14.
[right on going."

[army in cases of emergency. The
women are organized on a military
basis and participate in the maneu-
vers of the volunteer forces so that
[they may be prepared to render

conflict which taught all Finns many

Cabaret Cavalier Commits Suicide For Peaneh Woman

PARIS, Feb. 14.—(By A. P.)The
[professional dancing partner attached

[regarded as an evidence of great

[to Samuel E. Griffith, many

[fair patrons who engage his serv-

Towns Wired to Be

After conducting an inquest and in-
[on the hand road between the city
automobile, the coroners jury emnan-
[mule, returned a verdict that the de-
[struck by an automobile, by party or
[ustify but here were able to throw

[Smothers told the coroner's jury
to West Frankfort to visit some
[Smothers said he could see nothing on
the side and had hold of Bailey
car which Smothers said looked to
[was about to cough coming was when
the side curtains up came along at a
[terrific rate of speed. Smithe Bailey
[ensure as one time to go on or was
way, the body was carried on for

[ists and scratches indicated that he
for considerable distance

His Recommenda-

The summary of recommendation
[ing biennium, as presented to the
Governor Small has given consider-
and that his plea for economy has
[appropriation requirements for the

[think necessary. Through this pro-
[ostensible requests are reported for,

[be practiced to avoid a shortage in
[was practiced with the result that
there will be no necessity for cred-
[gency appropriations by act of his de-
[partments. The absence of such ne-

[three million dollars was otherwise)

[duty throughout the state, over and

[in cost of commodities going into
[stitutions under the jurisdiction of

[employes and other employees re-
[of the state governors, which, in
[the University of Illinois are from
[the general revenue fund. The fund
[one cents any item and reduce up
[approximately fifteen and one-half

[for by digest mill tax amounts to

[Clarence, being a chip off the
[old block," his father the late J. M.)

[who has gained recognition by de-
[pleased to see him hand the crowd

[the Murphysboro Independent]

[Southern Illinois, is to be designated

[Murphysboro, where he is an applicant
[time at home to take care of the
[duties of his office in the crowd
[his election."

[breaking a wheel. The sudden contact

[out of the car and made his getaway.

[legislation at the meeting that so ap-
[shortly after the alleged holdup

[appear here March 9 in show cases

[Bureau of Mines and Surveys
[bands the not and many of the

[was a legal Jackson was responsible

Car as Thief Jumps

Early travelers on the streets this
[and dry on the sidewalk on the north
[tracted a little amount of attention.
[few weeks ago, and the boards visited
[that there is little doubt but here

[unusual noise, but every eye in some
[ing hoped that the auto

[when he heard someone starting up
[ta stacks started with it up towards the
[Sexton, the officer standing on the
[shed it as his own and fired a shot

[ing a lunch, came up on the square
[m.m. Nothing unusual seemed to

[control.

[to his home.

[also paper consumers, and very sev-
[farms are lighted electrically

[was Edward Jackson was responsible

al Live Stock Build-

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 14.—(By
[motor show where fire at midnight
[stock building resulting in the death
[struction of the prize creations
[and contents was set

[Captain John Crane, one of the

[flimsy goods and paper decorations
[factories were displaying. The loss
The building, valued at
was leveled. Three hundred pleasure
[trucks and two airplanes were burned

[shown earlier in the year in New

Lomax Child Struck by Car

"Little Billy Lomax, eight-year-old
[morning.

[ore in hopes they will be able to run
[day.

[tent by electricity.

[is not thought that the injury is

The past month of school was a good month. The attendance was good. We had an average attendance of 98 with an enrollment of 37. Those that were present every day are as fol-

Primer: Ralph Pickhaus, 8th;

Second Year: Elizabeth Armstrong,

Third year: Paul Sanders 9th.

Fourth year: Dora Pickhaus, Paul Pickhaus and Carmen Jordan, each have an average of 94; Paul Smith 97.

Fifth year: Ruth Armstrong, Ivory Adams 98.

The written monthly examination was Dora Pickhaus, 15.

It is going to be very important that all people attend regularly in order that they may be able to pass the ex-

ion persons to keep some company on school every day. Visitors are wel-

Campaign for Eradication of Tuberculosis Is Given Credit for Stir

The farmers of Hillsdale county

country is now on par on this free list. Dr.

the United States Department of Agri-

Heretofore, instead of shipping live cattle

other improvements, stimulated by the good results of their big vacation in disease eradication which has in

Dr. Pickhaus, who conducted the campaign, is now on the county board of health.

Plowing, sowing oats and grass seed

program, consisting of songs, recita-

Mrs. Alva Campbell is on the sick

but all have returned to their school and we now mean our outdoor

outdoor room is working in yesterday's

Miss Lena Shetler spent Mond

Also Kern was a business visitor in Benton Saturday

recently with Miss Wilma Carlton of near Mt. Zion.

ar Sunday afternoon call at the

ing day. We suppose most all the

Frank Baber and wife who live in Mt. Vernon

Letter Page of your

through the part of the country taking the census recently.

Henry Richardson and family and Harold Richardson and wife were Sunday visitors at the home of Fred

Carlton spent last week visiting friends and relatives in Mt. Vernon.

Fred Williams spent Tu

Fred Williams spent Tu

Fourth Prize $200.00
16 Prizes 100.00
40 Prizes 50.00

Television to be broadcast by artists of the New Hall of Fame, chosen from a list including the following:

Joan Charles Thomas — Willem Willeke

T... tory contest opens shortly. Prizes as above will be awarded each month.

First selections will be broadcast over the stations listed on Wednesday, February 9 [illegible] Central Standard Time, and every Tuesday during each month.

You identify the name of the singer, artist or orchestra and the names of the selections rendered. If [illegible] you get $1000 or one [illegible]

Guess you nothing to enter. All give you gladly without charge.

The blank gives all the information to the last detail. Names all the artists, orchestras, etc., who will perform. Lists the selections from which the program will be [illegible]

Call or write for it. Be ready when the day comes.

Be sure to enter. Arrange to receive the program in your home over your Brunswick Radiola, and wish you.

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PRICE CUTTING INC.

Brunswick

Every Tuesday night during each month beginning Tuesday, February 9

WJZ—New York
WRC—Washington
WGY—Schenectady

Favor Oats Instead of Middlings for Fattening

Wheat middlings, which many farmers buy to feed along with corn, tankage and pasture in fattening pigs, will be more expensive in the next few months than it has been before, be

are really worth more when considered in making up a balanced ration for pigs. Tests made by the experiment station at the University of

Many men feel, they cannot get along without them for pigs that have reached their weaned.

For growing pigs and as a source of economy, oats can very well be used whole or ground and fed at the rate of one-half pound a day for each pig in addition to corn and pasture.

to Improve Thin Soils

Oats are not considered a big money crop, but they do furnish a variety of feed, and they fit in the rotation program, where some spring-sown crop is called for. Some farms where from one-quarter to one-third the acreage was formerly given to oats are doing

seems to be meeting with wide favor. Spring wheat may be utilized as early for clovers, or clovers and grasses can

ship grown in greater areas, and can be utilized in a way that will give quick-week feeding value and at the same time give some aid to our farmers.

Eggs for Hatching

ness, poultry specialist, also director at University Farm, Paul Nice, in our hatching eggs that are more than two weeks old. Fresh eggs are the best. If it is expected necessary to keep hatching eggs they should be stored in a temperature of 50 degrees or lower. Instructions sent with the incubator should be studied

Don't Let Broken, Ill-fitting Frames Worry You
Science can remedy your ... again, science copied with ...
MARTELLO
Optometrist and Optician
Art Studio

ON TIME'S OUR MOTTO AND "FAIR PLAY" THAT'S HOW WE MAKE THE ...
... ne and that fair play is our business reputation. It must ... base an appeal for your pat
Best Main Street
BENTON PLUMBING & HEATING
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We are authorized to announce that MASS ... a candidate for the office ...
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Star Coupe
With The
Million Dollar Motor
SEE "JACK"
JACK ULRICH MOTOR CO.

PRESENTED AT

MISS HELEN DUPPE ENTERTAINS FRIENDS

[illegible] entertained at [illegible] on North Main street Friday evening with a Valentine party. The house was very prettily decorated in honor of St. Valentine and the same idea was carried out in the favors and refreshments.

Several contests were enjoyed during the evening, scoring of the broken heart was won by Miss Lucille Sox, and pigeing the dart in the center of the heart by Meredith Doley. Whatever to be happily averted or lessoned [illegible] was determined by a wise girl. In ten steps must place a pencil through the ring. If this was accomplished [illegible]

In Benton's Churches

Old Baptist — **Free Baptist**

PYTHIAN SISTERS TO GO TO LOGAN

Next Tuesday evening the local Pythian Sister Lodge will go to Logan to put on the initiatory work. All members that can go are requested to be at the K. of P. hall Sunday afternoon for practice in the staff.

A pretty wedding was solemnized this morning at the Catholic church when Miss Mary Guglielmo, become the bride of Pete Mamakakis, of Tim[illegible]

[illegible] people will make their home in West [illegible]

[illegible] spending a few days in Chicago.

[illegible] commissioner C. F. Settlemoir and family will motor to Cobden to-morrow.

[illegible] corn supply is to be sold on [illegible] and Monday. Mr. Coulter

[illegible] Clover, Timothy and Red Top seed. —Browning's Book Store. 30-3

Sunday.
9:30 a. m. The Church studying the word of God.
10:45 The Church worshiping God.
6:00 p. m. The Church training her young people for service through the intermediate and senior B. Y. P. U.
7:00 p. m. The church evangelizing. Mr Marsh the director of our church orchestra will have charge of the opening part of this service and which means that we will be furnished with some excellent music

church and following their Lord in Baptism. Those desiring to do so will

Some folks delude themselves by thinking they worship God by sending the children to Sunday school and staying at home themselves. Some think they can worship God in the lodge and neglect the church. But they don't. Purpose we not determine serve the church that lives to serve.

There was a keen interest in all the services of the day last Sunday. A very substantial increase in the attendance of the Sunday [illegible] denied the hearts of all

topic, "The Stewardship of Life is the third of the [illegible]

Sugneton Bible Reading course.
8:00 p. m. Teacher's training class. If you are a teacher in our church school and not in this class you should

First Christian

[illegible] musical service tomorrow evening. Last Sunday was one of the most

Offertory — Andante. (prayer) Theme
Solo—"Far From My Heavenly Home," Nedlinger. Mrs. Gladys

Postlude—Solemn March, Horsley.
Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Sermon topic "Divine Care of Life." This [illegible] services.

Evening music program

[illegible] Competition Scores Survey

[illegible] lead these services and visit the road-side stand.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

[illegible] very without notice

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Preaching: 11:00 a. m.
Young Peoples Service: 6:00 p. m.

All welcome.

Levoret S. Lyon, dean of the school, [illegible] will be $10,000,000.

Ten years ago the entire principal amount which was provided for [illegible] $10,000,000 hard road bond [illegible] incorporated, as was the $10,000,000 provided for in [illegible] road improvement bond issue. The budget [illegible] includes expenditure of the [illegible] the $100,000,000 road [illegible] bond issue and the $18,000,000 [illegible] to $80,000,000 over the ex[illegible]

Lyon said [illegible] the material equipment now [illegible] is been larger [illegible] school teacher at [illegible]

[illegible] on which these technicians are required to do [illegible] times. In its annual, to prepare the [illegible] current for a job—an immediate job—[illegible] it has neglected to prepare for a [illegible]

The next great conservative step [illegible] be said, must be "toward making the [illegible]

[illegible] Miss Mildred Gr[illegible]

[illegible] this afternoon at her home, in honor of all as Bet Longbottom, formerly man[illegible] de velar of the high school. The [illegible]

[illegible] pledging deliver. Wardlaw Dairy, [illegible]

PILES — RECTAL CLINIC — [illegible]
Dr. [illegible]

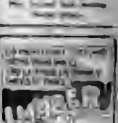
ANNOUNCING
Our Advance
SPRING MODELS
Direct from the master Couturiers of Paris and New York. Individual Creations, filled with personline.
Christy's

[illegible] the unexpired portion. When a person takes a room he retains it from the [illegible]

play. Adm. 10c and 15c.

Young fo, if you want to sell a cow, and have your ad put in the Clas-

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 54



Classified Ads

baby carriage, victrola, ...

FOR SALE—Two extra good bed springs, reasonable.—219 W. Main

RENT—5-room house with garage and half acre of land.—W R

basement, light water double garage, east from with long porch

FOR SALE—new modern 5-room house furnished including nice piano, stove. Ph

FOUND—On hard road between Benton Country Club, Auto license. Owner may have sam by paying for this ad

6-room house. Good location. Call between 7 a. m. and 5 p. m. 3867

FOUND—

25 Illinois License plate

Necessities in Benton. More than 150 used daily. Income $35-$50 weekly. Experience unnecessary. Write Dept. R. Watkins Company, 160-178 Liberty St., Winona, Minn. 38*3

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D 1924
NO 6050

Sadie Pa

Marie Pagani, John Pagani, Toney ani, Frank Pagani, Joseph Pagani a Pagani, Josephine Demotti and Gualdoni.—Partition

Public Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered on the 20th day of February A. D. 1925, by the said Court, in the above entitled cause, I, Wm. D. Seeber, Master in Chancery of said Franklin County, will at the h... afternoon on Tuesda... February, A. D. 19... Door of the Court House, in Benton, Illinois, in said Franklin County, sell, at Public Vendue, to the highest and best bidder, the following described Real Estate, lying and being in the County of Franklin, State of Illinois,

The ... 1-2 of a part of Lot No. Fifteen (1... the southea t quarter ... Eighteen (18), Township ... h Range Three (3) East ... d P... Meridian, which is as follows: Commencing at ... st corner of said Lot Num... running West Seventy five (75) feet, thence running South to the South line of said Lot Number Fifteen, (15), thence running East seventy-three (73) feet, thence running North to the place of beginning.

TERMS OF SALE—50 per cent cash in ... balance in one year, purchaser give note with security and M...

Dated at Benton, Illinois, this 31st

In Chancery of Franklin County, Illinois.

...ety copy of our ... of that which hurts

Needful for Morning Shave and Radio.

Washington.—From Paris it is announced that a United States firm has won the concession for the Tchiaturi manganese mines, biggest in the world, so America can shave in th...

Steel or iron. But steel also is carbon and silicon and sulphur and phosphorus and mangan... just as

Pittsburgh can ... from Minnesota and most of ... mining for their steel in the United States, but they must go abroad for much of their manganese.

... at Batum on the Caspian sea, did much to build the Transcaucasian railroad from ... Batum, on the Black sea, back in the eighties, but manganese found use ... it first

A few miles west of Tiflis, which ... s from the ... ich is ...

pick, Brazil is said to have ... manganese but this particular ...

...ty per cent made steel fully hard, the Tchiaturi mine ... district was inhabited by a few scattered herders. In ...

A herder of sheep knows ... mining so at first Italian ...

Brought Theater and Hot Baths

Before the World war much was done to maintain good living conditions for the miners. Houses were ... for their ... for hot baths, so dear to the ...

... a railroad reached the deposits there was great rejoicing ... cause previously all ore had to be ... to the main ... on a ton could be car...

...so except for the periods 1905 and 1906. Then ... 1914 practically ended

The United States has ... ported manganese ...

... is using them ... The ... tries have in the past each ... from a ... many from Geor... India, where ...

found in the pr...

batter...

Would Dignify British Who Take Poor Relief

... order ... move the ... which the receipt of poor law relief is supposed to ... people, the bishop of Exeter s...

...have served ... valued their King's ... men, he says, should be ... court presided over by the mayor ... they like, should ... place in the ... embers of the "church lays"

WGN, Chicago Trib—6 organ; 6:30 ensemble, string quintet, 8 classical, 10 orchestra.
WMAQ, Chicago—6 band, 8 orchestra 8:330 photologue, 9 Chicago theatre
WLS, Chicago—7 lullaby; 7:20 barn dance, organ, harmony girls, 11: Senate theatre

9:05 talk
WEBH, Chicago—7 orchestra ... eris, 9 guitarists, dance, 1
WLW, Cincinnati—6 concert, quintet, infafone
WFAA, Dallas News—8:30 program; 11 recital.
WOC, Davenport—7 Sandman; 7:30 religious discussion; 9 orchestra, ...

to South
12 orchestra, 1 June Pursell.
KHJ, Los Angeles Times—
... children 9:45 talk, 10 Valentine party 1 Lost Angels of KHJ
WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul—8 phil... osophies 8:15 travel talk, 8:30 mandolin orchestra 10 dance
WJZ, New York—6 orchestra; 9:30

9:10 travel talk.
KGO, Oakland—6 concert, 10 string quartet, address, 12 dance, soloists.
WOAW Omaha—6 dramat... s, 8:45 progra... 11:30 organ ... 7 concert

... 6:45 movie chat, 7 road talk; musical.
... Pittsburg—6:30 valentine sur... 45 talk; 7:30 band concert
...henectady—8:30 dance, song. ... 15 history, 6:30 trio, reader, violinist, 8:05 solos, instrumental, 9:05 ...
KSD St. Louis—8 concert
... ashington—6 music, 7 Bible 7:30 concert, 8:30 announced; dance 10:15 program

Republican League To Commemorate Sinking of Merrimac

—Commemorating the sinking of the Confederate iron sided gunboat "Merrimac" by the "Monitor," a feat which revolutionized ocean warfare, and cast ... disuse all wooden war ... John Ericsson Republican ... ch 9. for ... a convention ... was formerly known ... the Swedish-American Republican league, but dropped that name during the World War and adopted the name of the "Greatest Swedish-American," John Ericsson, inventor of the Monitor.

March 9 is the anniversary of the Monito...

... of among the guests of the league President Henry G. Hawkin... son has announced, will be Governor Small, Secretary Louis Emmerson, Attorney General Oscar E. C... and State Treasurer O. N ... Former Governor Charles S. Deneen U. S. Senator William McKinley ... Representative E. J. King of Washington, also have indicated they will attend

The ... en's meeting with the ... league which Mrs. Re... tate representative, will speak. One of the speaker's at th... proper will be Lieutenant Erik Nelson world flyer

Propogation of the principles of the Republican party, and the political education and advancement of Swedish-Americans, are the purposes of the league. Convention delegates selected by counties, according to the number of voters.

Present officers of the league are President, Henry G Hawkinson, Galesburg; vice-president, Thorsman Johnson, Rockford, secretary, Edward L. Jart, Chicago; treasurer, Julius Skoog Springfield; sergeants at arms, H. W Nelson, Lynn Center, Ben Bjorling, Galesburg, and Frank J. Stohl, New Windsor.

Heir Arrives At Blockley Home On Lincoln's Birthday

Abraham Lincoln was a mighty big man, but he will no longer have a monopoly on February 12, as a birthday, for in the future when the flags are unfurled and homage is ... Randa... come in for his part in the ...

This arrangement was ... about last Thursday, February 12th, ... youngster made ...

feet and four ... mocken feet by the ... of the United States.

Both Mrs. Blockley and the babe are getting along nicely.

The proud father is an employee of the Burkhart Shoe Store and holds the position of foreman of the shoe

Centralia 24; Mt. Vernon 25.
Harrisburg 20 Carmi 22.

Escaping Good Counsel
Youthful rashness skips like a hare meshes of good counsel.

Special Saturday and Sunday

39c Per Lb. 39c Per Lb.

Cline-Vick Drug Co.
"The Rexall Store"

BASKET BALL

"Only One Defeat This Season"

BENTON'S GRADE SCHOOL
and
HARRISBURG JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
Basketball Teams Lock Horns
MONDAY EVENING AT 3:30
AT BENTON'S HIGH SCHOOL GYM.

This is the second game with Harrisburg's Junior High School Team, Benton having defeated them earlier this season at Harrisburg.

"Let's all go and support our grade school team. These boys make up our high school team later. Let's encourage them in this good, clean sport." A very small admission fee is charged at the door to defray expenses.

THE BOYS FEEL "SURE-FOOTED" IN

Burkhart's

Comfortable Basketball Shoes as Well as all of Their

Capitol Cafe

Special Sunday Dinner

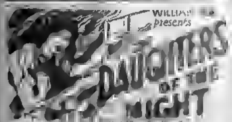
Fried Young Chicken   Roast Chicken

Baked Chicken

Baked Sweet Potatoes

Radishes

WILLIAM ... presents



Tale of Midnight Marauders, Crammed With Action, Romance and Thrills
And a Pathe Comedy—"Derby Dan"

Coming Monday and Tuesday— ...c & 50c

From the log cabin to the White House — from a home made ...

Live through the thrilling events that ...

with the man who guided its destiny

Nothing as Great Before—

Few pictures are truly great — but this one stands out as a star in the firmament — here are drama, humor, ... — all in the best you've ever

The romance of Lincoln and Anne Rutledge

Harry Langdon in "The Handsome Cab Man"
Special School Children Matinee 15c

STAR Theatre
Fri. and Sat.
10c and 20c
BOB CUSTER
A stirring tale of action
Ranger pits his cunning and ... gerous band of criminals.
and
Wm. Duncan
Edith Johnson
in
"The Fast Express"

Benton Evening News

COLLINS DEAD

Benton High Basket Five Wins Over West Frankfort 17 to 13

Large Crowd Witnesses Victory on West Frankfort Floor Saturday Night.

We won. Ya Bo, I'll say we did. That's what we didn't do nothin' else but. An what's more we eat 'em in their own back yard.

By "we," we refer to just about the whole city of Benton, because we don't believe there were more'n a dozen people left in Benton after the rest of us had paid our four-bits and were packed as safely as sardines in Frankfort's "cracker box" of Carterville fame.

Well, the preliminary's over— men trounced the graders. W... r left foot, and about this ... out comes Frankfort's Red Birds. I'll tell you they look mighty fine an fit to fight the battle of their Lives. We wait about ten minutes and shift back to our right foot. Then here comes our Maroons. They come out on the floor sort 'a slow-like Gee, hope they're not sick 'er nothin'

...it-thirty comes rompin' around and the referees git off their sweaters. Then you oughta heard 'em laff when our team took off their warm-up sweaters ... ne yelled out loud, ... gory Mike, two-bits green jerseyed hunk o' bacon with 17-13 labeled on it.

Say I forgot, you other half a dozen what stayed back in Benton, you might wanta know about the particulars of the game. Well, to start things off, Fry, "Smith' Lester," they call him, got a foul goal which counted one point. Then they played around some more and Fry got a coupla field goals and Cat got a field goal also. That made our score seven at the end of the first quarter while Frankfort hadn't got nothin' Then we learned 'em back 'ginst the wall and took our breath easy.

In the second quarter things didn't go so good with us. First thing we knowed "Lefty" Lockman got a field goal. Then—look what happened—"Lefty" got two fouls and Walker made a field goal and the score looked at us from the scoreboard at the end of the half at 8-9, with us one point ahead. Boy, listen, we was real nervous right about then, and my breath didn't come any too easy.

At the beginnin' of the third quarter they played around a while. Then Lowery, they call 'im "Shep" shoots from past center and makes it. Oh boy, at was a hot 'un, we'll say it was. Cat followed this 'un with another from 'bout center and we felt considerable better Next Walker hit a field goal and "Lefty" rung up another foul. Then Fry got in action and made a field goal which left us with a four point lead at the end of the third quarter, as the score said

Then in the last quarter "Lefty" got a field and so did Cat which left the score at the end of the game 17-13. And we had two perfectly good handkerchiefs ... wet with sweat. Also two er three ... was knocked out of the wall behind us.

But listen, did ya know we was 'goin to have a tournament here around the first of March? And Frankfort will be in it. That's when we gotta beat 'em. That's when it counts fer good. We hope we can beat 'em. But we don't wanta stand up aginst no brick wall, to see it. Nope, we don't.

"And—'bout them green'... they're all right. Last Saturday nite the sixth straight game the boys have won when they played 'em. And if you haven't seen 'em, take a'joy ride down to Johnston City, Wednesday night or come out to the township high school building, located on East ... Saturday night and see

LINCOLN PLAY PLEASES RECORD CROWDS TODAY

More Than 1200 Grade School Children See Great Picture at the Capitol Theatre.

As a result of arrangements made by the Rotary Club with the management of the Capitol theatre, more than 1000 grade school children were given an opportunity this morning at a special morning matinee to see the master picture, Abraham Lincoln, ... ning at the Capitol theatre

Long before the doors were opened hundreds of eager children waited on the out side for the first opportunity to enter. The little people were in the care of their respective teachers and were exceeding y order y and att...

Once on the inside and the great picture began to pass across the screen the little folks completely forgot themselves and gave way to their emotions as the int... esting plot was steadily unfolded

That the picture was an... and more than had been said of it was evident from the expression of emotion which came from the little ones as different parts of the story came into view. Again ... was shown to a record house ... the high school students.

Tomorrow morning another showing another morning matinee will be given for the benefit of the grade schools who did not see the picture this morning.

LOGAN CITIZEN IS HELD UNDER BOND OF $1000

Marshall Morgan Given Preliminary Hearing on Robbery Charge

Marshall Morgan of Logan was given a hearing before Justice of the Peace Ed Dial, Saturday afternoon ... a charge of robbery, and was bound over under a $1000 bond to await the action of the jury. Being unable to ...

had attempted to holdup Frank Cieply ...

latter was going to his home after the late Illinois Central train had arrived at Logan ...

Cieply all the way from the station to his home. Realizing that he was being followed, Cieply started running ...

take his pocket book out of his pock... He reached the porch of his home, ...

pocket book in to his wife, just as ...

and demanded that he hand over his money.

Mrs. Ciephly who was in the house with her small daughter testified that ... recognized Morgan.

Marrying Squire Busy Week End

"Marryin' Squire" better known ... N. Webb, has been living up to his reputation, as a marrying expert, ... this morning reports having performed that mystic ceremony three ...

Ab... noon, the Squire was called to the ... to pronounce the word ... in marriage Kenneth ... eytown and Miss ...

...evening the Squire ... taking place ... Jessie Price of ... Rodgers of ... in Landis of

BOY SCOUTS HOLD ANNUAL CAMP REUNION

Benton Boy Carries Away All Honors at Meetng in W. Frankfort.

Saturday was Benton's day in West Frankfort, besides copping the basket ball game Saturday night, in a hard fought battle, the boys Scouts from Benton, attended the annual Scout reunion at West Frankfort, Saturday and walked away with all the honors. Besides various other awards and honors bestowed on Benton troops, troop members, "Donk" Moore's won the twenty-inch loving cup, and Herbert Mick, a member of Donk's troop was presented with the Eagle Scout Badge and a $20 gold piece.

"Donk" of course was there, and is pretty much enthused over the success of his boys, so we will let him tell of the meeting in his own words. "Donk"

"The Franklin-Williamson County Boy Scouts held their first annual camp reunion at West Frankfort, Saturday, February 14 There were six hundred Scouts in attendance and every town in the two counties was represented.

The Scouts arrived and met at the school to form the lines for the parade. The line marched out to Main west on Main, turned and came over by the Hospital and east on St. Louis street to the High school. The gym ... opened to the boys and they filed in to wait for a while and rest. Joe Bob Howard, led the troops in a yell or two to get a little pep

Troop One of Benton put on exhibition drill that was done up in fine shape. They also built pyramids other stunts that make up ... After the drills, James Bailey of Herrin gave a very ... patrol work and showed some fine ... nts to the younger troops

Then came the big event. Every troop went on line again and marched up to the Bex Theatre where a free show was given. The judges were stationed in the band stand where they reviewed the troops and awarded the Same Arsht cup to the best all around troop. Troop No. 1 Benton, Dwight Moore, Scoutmaster, was the one picked by the judges as the best troop. The members of the troop as fo... Dwight Moore, scoutmaster, George Burkhart, senior patrol leader, Herbert Mick, Herbert Slaton, John Monroe and Charles Robinson patrol leaders. Scouts are: Paul Slaton, George

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JOHNSTON CITY MEN ARRESTED; PAY HEAVY FINE

Afternoon Spree is Quite an Expensive Venture For Visitors Here

Chief of Police Elza Wilkerson, arrested three men about 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon and placed them in the city jail, on charges of drunkenness and transporting liquor.

The three men gave their names as Wm. Miller, Stanley Rousitl, and Archie Boliskt all of Johnston City.

They were taken before police Magistrate Sanders about 7 o'clock where they entered guilty pleas and were fined according to the different charges preferred against them.

Archino Boliskt was charged with ... and transporting liquor drawing a fine of $14.40 on the first charge and $54.40 on the charge of transporting liquor.

SAND CAVE, Ky., Feb. 16—(By A. P.)—Floyd Collins, entrapped in Sand Cave on January 30, was found dead at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon says an official statement issued after the rescue party had penetrated into what they believed was Sand Cave tavern where Collins was caught.

No medical examination was made as it was impossible for a physician to reach the victim.

H. T. Carmichael, in charge of the operation, was the first man to go to Collins.

The announcement of the finding of Collins was made by W. D. Funkhouser of the University of Kentucky.

Preparations were made immediately for Major Moss and Captain Francis, medical officers of the 149th infantry of Bowling Green, and Dr. William Hazlett of Chicago, to go to Collins.

Carmichael and M. E. Pose executive secretary and personal representavtie of Governor Fields of Kentucky, were to accompany the physicians.

It was reported by workmen that the roof of the cavern over Collins gave way, causing them to reach him several hours before they had expected.

The first intimation of the old tunnel was the finding of ... bottles, work tools, lines of wire and ... ines of rope

In the shaft were Albert Marsh A. Blevens, John Simon and John Steens.

The official statement follows

At 1:30 o'clock the lateral heading at a distance of 12½ feet from the shaft and measured circularly broke through into the original ... just as a man hole gave way just below the break

"This, after breaking through a four-foot ledge of rock verified the prediction to an end, the distance from the entrance of h... has ...

... of Collins at elevation original ... y predicted, a few feet from the position of the old cavern. Later John Gerald, conspicious in the original work, was called down to identify articles found and thus definitely determine Collins' position, this being necessary on account of the mad visibility of entering until the timbering work was done

"The articles there were positively identified. Meanwhile Albert Marshall showed some splendid courage. Without thought of personal danger he crawled under an overhanging boulder and let himself down into the pit feet foremost, the opening being too small on account of his large stature for him to go head first He touched with his feet what he thought to be a blanket wrapped around Collins' body Immediately afterwards his game little partner, Mike Breone ... being himself small of stature and of iron nerve went down head first into the pit and closel yexamined the place

"I understand, it is Floyd Collins" he called up to Mr. Carmichael five foot above."

BEEKEEPERS TO MEET TUESDAY

President Woolrage ... Beekeepers' Association; ... Ross of Medina, Ohio, and other ... thorities on beekeeping will speak at the annual meeting of the ... County Beekeepers ... morrow morning at 9 ... meeting will be held at the

TEACHERS WILL MEET AT CARBONDALE

Annual Gathering Will Be Held March 26-2 To Be Greatest in History of Ass

45th annual ... thern Illinois Tea... will convene in Carbondale March ... of high inspir... instructions value has ... prepared. No expense has ... spared to get the best talent obtain... The S. I. T. A. ... ten years or more have ...

previous program

The speakers are most of them of ... nal celebriti...

... chautauqus and lyceum platform speaker of extr... spirational power ...

... n of Ameri... can poets and f... s author of "The Man with a Hoe

President Stratton D. Brooks of the University of M...

popular lectur...

Dr. H. G. Paul, de... lish, University of Ill., always a pl... ng speak...

Dr William A. Cook, school of Education, University of South Dakota, an educational expert in high school ed...

W. S. Booth, Asst Stat... known to need comment.

... ert C. Moore Secretary of Illinois State Teachers Ass'n., the high... ... ried educational secretaries ... the United States more constantly ... demand than any other spe... Illinois

Other speakers of ... te will appear ... the program

The music for the program includes a variety of talent of exceptional ...

... tions will have a place on the pro...

The stenographic and ... ip of previous years under the direction of Prof. T. L. ...

... peated this year ... A distinctly new feature of this ...

... of Southern I...

The Southern Illinois Historical Society will also hold its meeting in connection with the Association ... A railroad rate of one and a ... been granted. Identi... will be furnished through ... superintendents ... and comfortable a... be provided for ... hers who will atten... All desiring accommod... homes should write ... Lucy K. Woody, Carbondale, Ill. ... rollment is going ... d pace. Certificate ... may be secured by writ... G. E. Goforth, financial s... Cobden, Illinois ...

... confident this meet... ass in point of attend... evious meeting of the As...

... of ladies from the local ... ub are planning to go to ... tomorrow to hear the Amer... talk to be given by Mrs. ...

... Connole comes as a rep... of the Federated Women

Serious Obstacles Faced by The Floyd Collins Rescue Party

to Number of Cubic Yards Until Party Reaches Passage.

CAVE CITY, K... Feb. 16—(By A... obstacles ... remains a question of the cu... ... reach the passage, which will lead directly to him, said the official bulletin issued this morning. However as it requires one hour to remove one cubic yard of material, immediate results in rescuing Collins ... ust not, be expected, the bulletin ...

"Results in the lateral heading last ..." the statement said, "are very ... the distance of twelve feet from the main ... tents are being made ... the limestone roof into the ... More trouble was encountered during the last few feet of the heading there were a number of falls but it is well ... inspired and is considered safe

"Indications are that sand will be found in the avenue which ... facili... work but the progress from this time forward must necessarily be slow as materials must be relayed in a narrow passage from man to man to the bucket in the main shaft.

It is thought that the avenue referred to is an extension or branch of the origina. Sand Cave channel in which Collins is and it is thought that the rescue party cannot be more than ten feet from him.

Additional soldiers were assigned to guard duty today around the cave

Sand Cave miners engaged in the work of rescuing Collins from his sixteen day entrapment, discovered a passable limestone crevice yesterday afternoon leading to an unknowa... ion after they had completed ... five-foot tunnel to the northwest of the shaft

Crawling through the tunnel beyond the timbered portion of the lateral, miners went down into a passageway described as two feet square until they were more than twelve ... from the shaft proper. Further exploration was halted to permit timbering the crevice

... underground at the time expressed the opinion that the newly ...

NINE UNITE WITH BAPTISTS

Yesterday was a g... t day for the First Bapti... Church. There were 399 in attendance in Sunday school. Nine young people uni... with the church and seven followed their Lord in Baptism at the evening service. The Sunday School orchestra under the ... of Mr. Marsh played several beautiful numbers at the opening of ... evening service. It is hoped they play again for us Sunday."

Greathouse Cleared of Impersonating

... Lester ... eathouse of Buckner, who was arrested last wee... n a charge of ... nating a deputy sheriff and ... a gun, was acquitted in a ... preliminary hearing Sat... noon in Judge Dials court.

N... evidence it was stated, was in... ... to support the charges that has been preferred against the young ...

CrossWord Puzzle Fan Dies Suddenly

TOLEDO, Ohio, Feb. 16.—(By A. P.)—Charles Wade, 73, a cross word ... fan, refused to retire Satur... night until he completed solu... ... of a crossword puzzle. When the hour became so late his wife became alarmed. She went to see why ... not come to bed. She found ... dead in his chair

... ... It had been solved. Heart ... said to have been the

FUNERAL FOR JOHN NESBIT TOMORROW

Dies Early Today At Home On North Madison Street at Age of 80 Years.

John Nesbit, one of the oldest and best known citizens of the city died at his home on North Madison street this morning about 8 o'clock, following an extended illness of ... than a year, during which time he had almost constantly been ...

The deceased was 80 years, ... months and 11 days of age, and ...

Funeral services will be ... morrow at 2 o'clock at the ... of his daughter, Mrs. R. K. ... more, of 411 Madison street. ... J. B. Little of the First ... church will conduct the funeral. Interment will take place at the Masonic and Odd Fellows cemetery.

Veteran Printer Enjoys ... in Shop Where He ... Many Years

Dan H. Ross, veteran printer, and for a number of years foreman of the Benton Republican, is back with his "first love" today, after an ... from the printing game of some years. Dan has accepted the foremanship of the mechanical department of the Evening News, and seems as happy as a lark to be at the case ...

We have promised Dan that we would not make him blush with ... well-meaning boquets, and we are just going to say that we are glad to have him with us. We believe his many friends will be glad to know he has joined forces with "Franklin County's ..." He is going to help us build up the kind of a paper we believe the people of Benton and Franklin ... glad to greet ... have known him ... has been a resident of Benton.

To the younger people who ... know Dan we might introduce him ... saying that he is Grand Prelate ... the Knights of Pythias and is ... father of "Cat" Ross of basket ... fame

Bootlegger Evades Officers and Takes ...

POPLAR BLUFF Mo., Feb. 16—(By A. P.)—Pemiscot county officers have asked other officers in southeast Missouri and northeast Arkansas to help in an effort to locate Fonce Kinkead, who, they admit, fooled them

When Fonce was arrested on a liquor violation charge he obtained the names of several prominent Caruthersville citizens on his bond. He showed the bond to the Judge who approved it. Then Fonce stuck the bond in his pocket and walked out. He has not been seen since. He cannot be accused of jumping his ... because he has it with him.

THE WEATHER

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EMPLOYMENT IN EIGHT ILLINOIS CITIES BETTER

Joliet Reports Largest Increase in the State While Aurora Comes Second.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 16.—(By A. P.)—Employment conditions improved in eight Illinois cities during January while two other cities held their own and only three reported decreases, according to Reuben D. Cahn, Statistical director for the Illinois department of labor.

Springfield, Rockford, Joliet, East St. Louis, Decatur, Danville and Bloomington all reported comfortable increases and Chicago reported a very slight increase. Quincy and Peoria reported conditions unchanged while decreases were reported from Moline, Rock Island and Aurora.

Joliet reported the largest increase of any of the cities in which the department of labor maintains free employment bureaus, while Aurora reported the largest decrease in employment.

The summary of conditions by cities

Bloomington. Five per cent increase reported by 11 manufacturers. Most industries running full time applicants for every 100 posit

Danville: Employment increased 1 percent. Situation aggravated by influx of workers giving average of 700 applicants for every position

Decatur: Twenty-four Decatur employers report 4 per cent increase in payrolls. Car shops closed on the last two days of the month, 242 men applied for every 100 jobs.

East St. Louis: Employers gave work to 2.2 more workers than in December. Building is increasing but there are 172 applicants for every 100

Joliet: Employment expanded 7.7 per cent. Increase noted in average pay per week. 153 applicants for every 100 positions as against 1 December

Moline and Rock Island: Employment decreased 3.2 percent in Moline and a fraction of one percent in Rock Island. Railroad shops increased week by week for six days shortly after close of month. 258 applicants for every 100 positions.

Peoria: Conditions unchanged applicants for every 100 positions. Several factories contemplate increasing operations shortly.

Rockford: Employment conditions improved 2.4 percent. Declines in some lines offset improvements in others. The furniture industry slowed up, owing to passing of the holiday rush.

Springfield: Employment expanded 2.5 percent. Labor supply increasing than employment. 123 applicants for every 100 jobs.

Chicago: Employment improved tenths of one percent, but the in job seekers was greater the increase in employment. are hopeful, however, 291 for every 100 positions.

Nineteen Branches Religious Endeavor Meet in Chicago

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—(By A. P.)—Nineteen branches of religious gathered here day for a five-day conference of the Education. More than fifty sessions addressed by several hundred speakers conference, which will take up every

Speakers and delegates from the sibly from other countries were present.

men from univer and Sunday schools on the progr

ference of Vacation Bible and Church School Workers, the children's work

day. Tomorrow the board tees, the children's work section, the young people's work section,

the state and section. the

the leaders section, the week ction and

Most of these sections will meet again Wednesday and in addition meetings will be held for international and national executives and

day and services rion Lawrence will Meetings of ers will be held Thur day

Izaak Walton League to Meet At Streator, Ill.

STREATOR, Ill., F. (A. P.)—Pollution of streams in Illinois will receive the attention re the Illinois its convention here February 19 according to William H. Kemp, secretary

J. P. Kerr, president of the ion of Drainage and Levee districts of Illinois, will discuss stream pollution at a mass meeting arranged by the League. Dr. H. J. Morgan, state president, will give a travelogue illustrated by motion pictures of the annual banquet.

All river towns in the state whether if the League or not, have invited to send delegates nesday the delegates will be guests of the Streator chapter at a buffet luncheon.

JANUARY FIRE LOSS DECREASES

$704,12 to the Illinois January, according to John G. ber, State Fire Marshal, who reports that in spite of this large loss the total loss for January was much lower than for the first month of 1924.

The total loss for January of this year was $2,284,097, compared with $1,462,332 last year. Sparks on roofs caused damage to the extent of $247,182; stoves and furnaces were responsible for $210,804 worth of damage and defective and overheated flues were charged with causing $216,009 of the loss.

Stores suffered more than dwelling houses, $800,296 damage being the former and

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

W. H. Bullock and wife to G. H. el warr deed, $1.00, NE

And Rotramel and wife to Nellie quit claim deed, $1.00, 1 plat of Frankfort Heights

Katie O. Johnson to Nellie A. Ronald, quit claim deed $1.00, lot 1 plat, Frankfort Heights.

ed, $1.00, land in section

S. T. Williams to Nellie Howard, warranty deed, $500, lots 1-2-3-4-5

F. Forges and wife to ty deed, $1250 f block F Orchard View addition to Ben

Ethel Owen to Henry Harper, $1150, lot 4 block B T Tuckhall's sub-division, 1-5-3.

L. F. Cox and wife to A. L. Burpo, warranty deed, $1500, lot 8 block 12, Ohio Valley Mining Co. 1st addition to Frankfort Heights

A. L. Burpo and wife to Gustav Burpo, warranty deed, $1.00, lot 8 block Ohio Valley Mining Co. addition to Frankfort Heights

S. T. Williams and wife to Nettie Howard, warranty deed, $8

Emma Duty to Ransome Duty, warranty deed, $1

Christian

The "Question and Sing" service with a bang last night. At its of hands were lifted re more of such services. In

Next Sunday evening a patriotic program will be rendered in keeping with Washington's birthday. Some of Benton's best speakers have consented to assist in the program. Appropriate music both instrumental and vocal ll who attend.

INGERSOLL MADE DEED IN WILLIAMSON

Old Document, Signed By the Famous Aethist, Found in Marion Court House

MARION, Ill., Feb. 16.—In the changing his office into ited by County Sup at the Marion Recorder Fred found an old deed signed Robert Ingersoll, famous aethist. The deed was dated October 12, 1867 and was made to Emil Hundley for lot 1 block 2, Second Survey of Marion. The consideration was $148 and was witnessed by E. C. Ingersol. The Circuit Clerk at that George W. Goddard.

Robert Ingersol was born in Dresden, N. Y., in 1833, and moved to this city in 1843 with his parents. He studied law in Marion and was a during the Civil War. He left Marion and went to Peoria.

In later years Ingersol and Wallace went to the Holy Lands where they planned to gain additional evidence and facts an Religion. While th became a Christian and wrote famous book, "Ben Hur."

Ingersol's life and influence did not effect the Christians of Williamson county as the Sunday School and church services in the county are well attended each Sunday

Carbondale Churches Possess Much Wealth

CARBONDALE, Ill., Feb. 16.—(By A. P.)—Capital invested in Carbondale churches is four times banks, the Rev. W. P. Mac the First Methodist Club here. He said twelve would be required for the sermons delivered by the average pastor an

FORT RINGGOLD AN INTERESTING POST

Important Outpost in Line of Indian Defense.

Mexican town, Rio Grande, is located one of the most dignified and stately of army posts—Fort Ringgold, Texas. Chaplain S. W. Rogers, who prepared the history of this Army Re while having

nevertheless is consider border post. Fort Ringgold was established when the Rio Grande was navigable, boats bringing the first detachment of men to Davis Landing which later was called Ringgold Barracks. In those early days the est railroad was at Laredo something more than 100 miles away, while she boasts a railroad at Sam Fordyce

Ringgold, was by Jose de Escandon. The first survey and map was made for the King of Spain in 1765. It shows a line running north 8.625 varas (33 1-3 inches) from the cross, the central point of operations in Camargo. This line then ran northeast including the Fort Ringgold reservation. With the withdrawal of Texas from Mexico and its admission to the United State

large tract of land. He soon established a prosperous ranch and settled down to make his fortune

Capt. J. H. La Motte, First United States infantry, took a small detachment of soldiers up the Rio Grande to Davis Landing, arriving on October 26, 1848. Not until 1853 was the first lease made. A tract 400 yards square, rounded by a brush fence, containing 33 acres was surveyed. The lease was signed by H. Clay Davis, owner of the land, and W. W. Chapman, representing the United States

Bandits Cross Bord

Immediately following the annexation of Texas to the United States bandits began to cross from Mexico killing looting and burning at will. In repulsing one of these invasions on the battlefields of Palo Alto, an extensive prairie nine miles north of Brownsville, Maj. David Ringgold was killed 8, 1846. Honoring Major Ringgold camp at Davis Landing

In September 1854, the second lease was made, and operated five years. During this period log huts were erected for the use of the troops. Early in 1859 the soldiers were ordered further down the river owing to the trouble. The old pared during the absence of the troops, another lease was made upon their return. This one was to operate for ten years, granting the owner $600 per It further provided,

troops were previous in 1907. The property was when it was

Fort Ringgold of soldiers

post until today it is one of the attractive reservations on the border

Where Lee Lived

The most interesting building is the

is sti in a perfect state of preservation

Many prominent and notable seen service at Fort

stations there at the same time. was a strange coincidence that two

eighth infantry teenth cavalry and squadron of

HOSTESSES IN A BARBER SHOP JOB

Smoothes Away Embarrassments for Women.

New York.—For the first time in history, barber shops have hostesses. These directors of hirsute traffic suggest type of hairdressing, smooth away embarrassment which many women feel in seeking a male barbers' advice as to coiffures and assist patrons in spending their money

This development was inaugurated by a department store which for years maintained its place of business on Sixth avenue and was somewhat re the Fifth avenue trade. cern has a Fifth avenue up and has hired hostesses for its barber shop to make patrons feel at home in the new surroundings.

Duties of the Hostess

Strange it is, but true, that many of the newer comers to this country find more difficulty in spending their money than in getting it. New York ple of foreign perity the

other countries obsolete here and they are to live up to im proved tions. Hence the bob.

ber shops cash their checks signed with "his mark" than any institution except leaders in foreign exchange.

In the men's shop a barber who will not talk is at a premium; but in the

has but a brief time between himself and separation from the payroll

Other She

The so-calle women's cloth just off fifth avenue also have the hostess to their the weekly salary check it is sary for these women not only to wear clothes well but to talk them well. One shop is so exclusive sells nothing for cash. Before buy a sample of its prod s necessary to establish an

ny years this shop has never less than $250 but furnished a deport where chose purchases at nally can buy a dress Even, however, is the mum, as the hostess

Buried City Revealed in Wilds of Nevada

which will probably prove finds in N according to taium of Nevada. Spraghans visited of St. Thomas, Nev., ruins, after confer Hunt of Ari on regarding construction of a road from the Grand Canyon of Arizona in the new discover

houses and 11 bodies, 10 of them women. Ancient pottery, estimated 2,000 years old, was found with the remains. of the houses were of adobe, tered on woven rushes. The clay remains, the mold of the leaves. highly polished and shaped like gratis corn. We found squash and corn

Swedish Prison Made Into National Museum

of the oldest prisons in Stockholm, recently abandoned for purposes of criminal confinement, is now being turned into a historical museum and depository for the royal archives.

Priceless documents now are filed on shelves in the former cells; relics of the Stone age of Sweden are set up in the courtyard where the prisoners exercise, and

treasures from every country in in the larger halls.

ANNUAL CAMP REUNION

(Continued from First Page)

Parmilee Mick, Stanton Sweet, Frank Hickman, Thomas Rotramel, Raymond Garrett, Robert Rice, Roy ward Cline Williams, Thomas Byron Neal, Meredith Plater, Jackie Stewart, R. Simpson, Robert Higgins, George Moore, Clifford Bell, Stanley Vise, Charles Cantrell, McReynolds, Robert Young, Bertholds, and Beverly Craw-

The drum and bugle corp were Charles Robinson, John Monroe, buglers.

The troop has won all three cups that have been given. R. Z. Hickman won the cup at the Scout camp last year for being the best all around Scout.

Herbert Sinton won the second cup at camp for passing the most tests while at camp. They also have the honor of having the first and only Eagle Scout in the two counties, the highest honor to be bestowed upon Scouts. Patrol Leader Herbert Mick, was awarded that honor together with a $20 gold piece. The prizes are now in McReynolds clothing store

The Scouts all marched from the Rex Theatre to the Christian church gym where one of the biggest banquets ever held in this part of the country was served by the ladies of the church. After the banquet there were several songs and yells lead by Joe Bob and the first meeting of the Ivory Domes was held since the camp

Dobry and Beans Moore of Johnston City were taken in as members. s the chief banana splitter and Bean the royal keeper of the smoke sifter. Each one was delighted to have the honors bestowed upon them

The next thing on the program was a reproduction of the water carriers of the camp by James Bailey's troop of Herrin. It sure was re peculiarly when the boys were asked to carry water for the cooks and Geoffrey Steckmerider was the laziest one. The mules were then brought on the scene and every one was eager to be the driver but after several had been kicked they gave up in disgust—so did the mule. The mule was composed of two scouts, one banana crate and some burlap sacks. Very good, I say

The next and greatest scene was one that took you back to the old Hawaiin days (Tex knows) when deal old Goeffrey acted the part of Hula Hula dancer and if you don't believe he did good just ask some that were there and he is such a cute boy to igh 220 pounds

The camp bugler for this year gave the boys a sample of the calls and everybody knew him as the boy who never got homesick in his life.

"Tex" called Sam Arsht to the stage so everyone could see him. Nice looking man, if you don't think so ask his wife or anyone of Troop No. On they will tell you. Mr. C. T. Jewell then called "Donk" up and presented he and his troop with the cup and they haven't stopped looking at it yet. As we close let me add the old saying that a splendid time was had by all.

Once a Scout always a Scout. Get in the work.

Other Scores
Carbondale 42, Cairo 21
Marion 22, Harrisburg 15.
Johnston City 12; Anna 1

Help Kidneys By Drinking More Water

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys and Help Neutralize Irritating Acids

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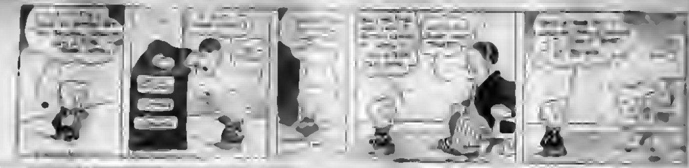
one of the most come. Begin dri

quickly relieve your bladder irritation. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.



PERSONALS

Wiley Hail is in St. Louis on busi-

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Armstrong

See the Home Millinery for your up-to-date hats. 507 N. McLeansboro. s40

Book Store.

Paul Collins is spending a few days in Springfield.

Sow lawn grass now.—Browning's Book Store. 35*

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Floro of Herrin spent the week end in Benton.

Clover, Timothy and Red Top seed. —Browning's Book Store. 35*3

Fay Upchurch spent the week end in Harrisburg

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Wardland Dairy, phone

Carl Choisser made a business trip to Zeigler this morning

Miss Nellie Jones returned to West Frankfort last evening where she will finish teaching her school.

The Herrin Supply Co. odd lot sale and their gingham and muslin specials and hundreds of other Big Bargains are bound to draw Big Crowd

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Smith spent Sunday in Christopher with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Nunn.

BLACK Seed Oats. Packed in 3-bushel bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store. 38tf

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stoddard were guests of friends in West Frankfort yesterday.

Mrs. Leo Scovil of West Frankfort spending the day with her Mrs. Ora Martin.

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Samuel Sael and Albert Palmer made a business trip to Harrisburg today

Mrs. Henry Dorris and daughter, Miss Vivian are spending the day in St. Louis.

— SPECIAL —

Gold fish here at last! Small, medium, large, 10c, 15c, 25c.—Dr. Hart's Drug Store. 38t2

Baby chicks and hatching eggs from bred to lay, true to type, White Rocks, Barred Rocks, R. I. Reds, White Leghorns, state inspected, post paid John L. Laird, Mt. Vernon. 36t6

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. John Outhouse motored to Harrisburg yesterday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Cole was the guest of her uncle, C. A. Johnson in Whittington yesterday.

The Herrin ... ly Co., will sell on ... 25c ... to one customer. Also 15c Unbleached Muslin, good grade 10c yard, limit $1.00 to each customer. ...t-1

Mr and Mrs. Hayes of Creal Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson of Christopher were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hayes.

— SPECIAL —

Ten bars Olive Glo soap $1.00; one Turkish bath towel 35c, total value $1.35, special sale price 69c.—Dr. Hart's Drug Store.

Miss Mamie Williamson left this morning for her home in San Francisco after spending a few days with her father, Lewis Williamson and family.

— SPECIAL —

... here at last! Small, med-

... of Herrin is

MR. AND MRS. GEO. PERRY HOSTESS AT CARD PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Perry entertained Saturday evening with a card party at their country home. Hillsdale. Lovely refreshments of peaches, and whipped cream, home made candies, and grape juice were served. Those who enjoyed the evening were Dr. and Mrs. George Stegmeyer, Dr and Mrs. S. E. Dudley, Mr and Mrs. Franklin F Wells, Mr Mrs. Pearl Robinson, and Mr. Mrs. Cliff Dw

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stacey and Mr. and Mrs. Mona of DuQuoin were the guests yesterday afternoon of Misses Margaret and Pauline Taylor.

Misses Thelma Williams, Hattie Coxon and Clyde McCambell motored to Carbondale yesterday to take Brown McCambell who is working there.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Settlemoire and daughter spent the week end with relatives in Cobden and enjoyed a birthday dinner given in honor of Mr Settlemoir's mother

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All Pythian Sisters that can go to Logan Tuesday evening and assist in the staff are requested to be at the hall at 6:30.

Mrs. Charles B. Hudelson spent Sunday in Mt. Vernon in the interest of the missionary work of the Christian church. She was the dinner guest of Mrs. L. Hill Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. William Seustenberger and baby returned from St. Louis and are occupying the lower floor of Miss Nancy Browning's home on North Main. Mr. Seustenberger is the manager of the stove factory.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks for the lovely flowers, help and sympathy given to us at the death of our loved one, Mrs. Emma Hobbs

Ernest Hobbs and wife.
Zelph Cinnamon and husband.
James Wiggs and wife.
Mrs. P D. Whittington.
Mrs. G. W Bennett

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us during the death of our beloved son and brother. We also thank the American Legion, Boy Scouts and Mr. Mitchell, the undertaker.

A precious one from us is gone
... loved is still.
... vacancy in our home,
Which never can be filled.
Father and Mother,
William and Mary Bailey.

Mrs. Ruth Russell of Buckner was a visitor here this morning

Claude Fuller of the Fuller Motor Co., is transacting busines ... Louis today

Mr and Mrs Curtis Settle... daughter Harriet spent ... bden.

Jeanne Webst... dale yesterday

The regular monthly meeting of the Philathea class will be held ... church Tuesday at 7 00. All ... are urged to be present. Th... time for payment of dues.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T Clem sp...

Mr. and Mrs. Clem were en... their home in Denver after ... the winter in the south

Miss Francis Hickman returned yesterday from Kirkwood Mo., where she visited with her cousin, Mi... Chenault, who is in school ... Hall. They attended a lunch... at the Missouri Athletic Cl... by the dramatic departm... of Lenox Hall on Saturday

Rev and Mrs. James B. ... Mrs. Grace Norris ... this morning to attend the ... conference at the Cherry street Baptist church. Mrs. Morris will go from Alton to St. Louis to spend the balance of the week with her d... Mrs. C H Bonebrake

NOTICE

All merchants are cordially invited into conference with a committee from Local 1085 (Retai... rks Ass'n.) to be held in the city hall Tuesday, Feb. 17 at 7:30 for the purpose of taking up the renewal of the contract for the year beginning April 1, 19... ing March 31, 1926.—By ... Committee

Robbers Get $1000 And Wound Man

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—(By A. P.) —Four armed bandits, who joined and then robbed a Saturday night dice game at Breese, Ill., escaping in an automobile with loot totaling approximately $1000, were believed to have been bound for St. L... was learned here last night. Two men joined the game and were followed by two others, the four later fleeing together, following the hold-up and robbery in which Gus Hast was shot and slightly wounded in the head. The bandits were unidentified.

If you are looking for a house for rent read the Cl...

NORMA SHEARER

New Screen Player Coming to the Front

One of the newer of the young actresses fast forging to the front is one of the most popular screen players is Norma Shearer, who has just completed a role in Rupert Hughes' Metro-Goldwyn production of "Excuse Me." Miss Shearer has just returned to Culver City from a vacation trip to New York, to appear in Monta Bell's production opposite Malcolm McGregor.

QUEEN ESTHER'S HOLD ... TON PARTY

Queen Esther Bible ... Christian Chu... met ... of Mrs. Pete Roth

dance ... th their ha... ... nd we... old fashioned ... which were ve... he ...

the ... short devotional ... opened by a violin ... Clark Phillips, ... Claude Brown and pray... Mrs. ... B...

which ne... A ... the ... took charge ... nd the follow... line by Mr ... ss Anna ... Mrs. J

a clever little play, with Mr Fry as grandmother, Ha... more and Winifred Fry as grand children, interrupted with a specialty of solo dance by Miss Mildred Kelly

A buffet luncheon was served by the hostess and her assistant, Mesdames Wm. Coulterin and Ralph Fry presiding at the tea table and Mrs Gladelle Phegley serv... ... chots were given a... The comm... plimented ... s of this ... d d evening

MRS. J. WEBB JONES ENTERTAINS

Conspicuous among last week's social affairs was a delightful Valentine luncheon given by Mrs. J Webb Jones at the Country Club, Friday for twenty of her friends

Bridge was the diversion of the afternoon. Flowers and Valentine favors added to the charm of the delicious luncheon.

Mrs. A. E Martin, Jr., won the prize for high ... and Miss Cora Martin the gue...

Illinois Motorists To Form Legislative Program Feb. 18th

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 16.—(By ... ives of more than ...

... legislative program. The proposed gasoline tax will be the principal subject for ...

If you have anything ...

Today's Radio Program

WSB, Atlanta ... Mandolin club, pia... 10 ...

... Band ... music, 8 15-12 mu...

WMAQ, Chicago News—6 organ, 6:30 orchestra. (Slight night.)

... concert, quintet ... 8 orchestra, soloists

WEAR, Cleveland— ...

WTAM, Clevelan... concert

WOC, Davenport— ... Sandman 7 ...

...A Denver—9 concerts, solos, duet,

WWJ, Detroit—6 News orchestra.

WCX Detroit Free Press—7:30 musical. ...

WBAP, Ft. Worth—7:30 dance; 9:30 musical, 12 serenaders

... 10 violinist

WOS, Jefferson Cit... ...sical

WMC, Memphis Com. Appea...

... New York—6:05 fashion chats, 5 orchestra, 7:30 dance, 9 Radio Shack

WNYC New Yor... 6 45 dance

... orchestra

WOO, Philadelphia

WCAE, Pittsburg—6.30 Uncle Kaybee; 6.45 special; 7.30 soprano, reader; 8 concert; 10 concert.

... ce list, violinist. ... ...—8 dance; 10 30 con...

TREASURE MA... LURES EX-MAYOR

SEATTLE Wash., Feb. 16.—(By A. P.) Staking his faith on a map portraying the location of an Arctic ...

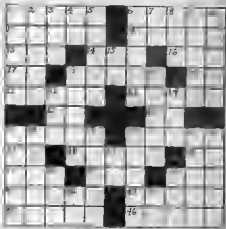
... r of Port Townsend, Wash., and the founder of a loganberry industry on the Olympic Peninsula of Washington, is to make a search with a friend in April for a ... h ... n Alaska. The mine was ... ed and mapped out many ... a prospector who died ... after bringing out 282 ... nuggets, said Mr. Fuller-

PINEAPPLES FIND FAVOR

HONOLU... —Records of production in both quality and quantity were established by th...

901 ... the output of 1920, the previous high record year; and was ... more than the 1923

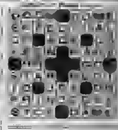
CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 35



Vertical.

Simple Mixture Best For Constipation

Simple buckthorn bark, magnesium sulph. c. p., glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, is excellent for constipation. It often works in one hour or less and never gripes. The pleasant and QUICK action of this efficient intestinal evacuant will surprise you. Adlerika helps any gas on the stomach unless due to deep-seated causes. Often removes matter you never thought was in your system. — Stegmeyer-Woolard Drug Co.



Early French Reformers

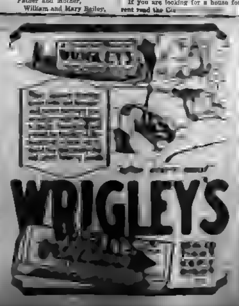
The Waldensians, early reformers, ... Waldo or Valdo, a merchant of Lyons, France. Their principal centers were ...

Gathering Diamonds

The fact that diamonds cling to lubricating grease in water, while pebbles and semi-precious stones roll off, has been made the basis for a new machine called the "pulsator," which picks diamonds out of materials in which they cannot be seen by human ...

If you have a used car for sale advertise it in the Classified Column.

PILES — RECTAL CLINIC —
CURED BY NONSURGICAL METHOD
Piles, Fissure, Fistula and all rectal diseases treated by my mild method. No general anesthetic. No hospital bills. No layoff from work. No charge for consultation
Dr. C. W. ...



The Cook's Best Friend—
CALUMET
THE WORLD'S GREATEST
BAKING POWDER
The Last Spoonful is as good as the First

Classified Ads

FOR RENT—5-room house at 1301 North Main. Apply 305 N Commer-

FOR RENT—3-room house with garage and half-acre of land.—W. E. Jones.

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms, nicely furnished, Phone 524W. 111 Hudelson St.

FOR RENT furnished ro Rhodes, 405 W Webster light housekeeping —Mrs

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Store and four room house. Enoch Stanevich, 606 N. Stuy vesant St.

FOR SALE—37½ acres land miles north of Whittington on hard road. Write or see Mrs Powers, Logan, box 326

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity in 5-room house. Good location. Call

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farm large or small.—See C. W. Hodge at Whittington.

Neutrodyne radio

FOR SALE—Two extra springs, reasonable.—call 74.

edition, at bargain party leaving town. For par lars see Chas. Hayse at Stand- Oil Company plant

FOR SALE—city Gore addition; 5 ro basement, lights garage, east front with long across front. Call 229 or write T. Rosenberger, Carterville.

FOR SALE—household furniture Mrs. Roy Moore. Phone 799R.

FOR SALE—new modern house, furnished including ni piano, new white enameled gas stove. Ph

a Country Club. Auto lice Owner may have same by paying for

FOUND Brown and white bird dog Vietti, 504 Mch

1026 Illinois Lic Return to

WANTED

WANTED— wants man to Watkins Necessities in Benton. More than used daily. Income $35-$50 weekly Experience unnecessary. Write Dept. H-6. The J 128 Liberty St., N

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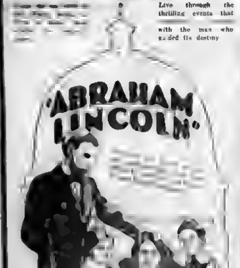

Live through the thrilling events that with the man who guided its destiny

Nothing as Great Before—

truly great — but this one stands out

The romance of Lincoln and Anne Rutledge

Harry Langdon in "The Handsome Cab Man"
Special School Children Matinee 15c

(Continued from First Page)

found crevice lead to the immense cavern which Collins said he had discovered and which is understood to a directly behind the point of his imprisonment.

The work of releasing Collins will be simplified if it is found possible to approach him from the rea

Workmen and the men upon whom the responsibility for Collins' recovery has left a marked impression, frankly were more optimistical than several days. The discovery was described as the most encouraging development since the first lateral in the shaft was begun.

Samples of the limestone from the brought to the surface and eagerly examined in daylight. The specimens indicated that the crevice at one time had been a waterway, according to Dr. W. W. Funkhouser, zoologist of the University of

One side of the crevice showed solid since one as far as it was explored. The other side was composed of loose rock.

The drift excavated from the shaft had been timbered for five feet when the unusual cave was discovered. At that point the crevice was found to deviate slightly from the original line of the timbering. Workmen pushed themselves seven and one half feet more before they were recalled. Meanwhile no further exca was being done in the bottom

official statement given out Sunday, follows

"The total progress in lateral heading is seven f Excavation

and hazardous but progress made is very encouraging. More definite signs of subterranean cavern had been fo it is judged that that avenue de ped by core drilling is not more than six feet away and probably lower than the floor of the later

estimated fifteen feet and a party lateral head the shaft were reassured as a check-up on previous calculations.

Collins expressed himself satisfied correctness of the made concerning the location shaft and the method The next few hours in Cobering the sec already

charge of the rescue workers, came up the incline from the the rescue camp with M executive secretary of the Kentucky highway commission. all sides increased thant it was found pump to install a pump to avoid further de boiling out water in the The pump threw a steady down into the valley from the shaft

Collinsville Man Shot Six Times

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—(By A. P.) A man who gave his name as Rozzo Lamento of Collinsville, was shot he walked from the home of a friend here yesterday, ac

ted to live, being wounded in the back, right side left shoulder twice in the left leg Lamento said heard footsteps and turned to see who was approach Two unknown men drew volvers and fired nine times at him Lamento stated. "He was not robbed refused to say whether he was

STAR Theatre

Monday - Tuesday

Jack Perrin

Crashing Through
A Smashing Drama of the New West
—and—

The Comedy
Coming Wednesday and Thursday
Jack Pickford

MID-WIFE HELD RESULT DEATH FIVE-DAY BRIDE

Police Searching For Husband of Victim, the Son of a Chicago Capitalist.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 16.—(By A. A.)—Mrs. Lucy Hagonow, mid-wife, was taken to the police station today for questioning in connection with the death of Nina Ruth Harding Pierce, five-day bride of Logan Pierce, who died Saturday night after an operation.

The police search for Pierce, the son of a Chicago capitalist, continued today, while a coroner's inquest into the death from an operation of his bride a University of Illinois sophomore and daughter of an East St. Louis real estate broker, was set for this afternoon.

Mrs. Pierce died Saturday night in a hospital. Since Pierce left the hospital, the only trace of him was found in a telephone message to a Chicago club and to a rooming house asking about a telegram from his father.

The engagement of Pierce and Miss Harding was announced a year while attending college Miss Harding came to Chicago last Monday from Champaign and they were married.

BIRTHS MORE THAN DEATHS

Large City Would Be Required to House New Population.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 16.—(By A. P.)—Births outstripped deaths in Illinois last year so rapidly that a city the size of Springfield would be required to house the increase in population, according to Dr. Isaac D. Rawlings, state director of public health. The acreage due to births and minus deaths, furnished a population enough to populate seven Illinois counties, Dr. Rowlings s

"The excess of births over deaths was 59,972," he continued. "In other words there were almost twice many births as there were deaths. Twenty people were born for every 1,000 population and only 11.2 ou of each 1,000 died. Only twice in history of the state has this figure been exceeded. Last year the favorable difference for births was 8.8. In 1922 this difference was 8.9 and in 1921 it was 10. The lowest favorable ration for births ever recorded in the state was 2.6 in 1918.

The mortality rate in Chicago was slightly lower than that for the rest of the state for the fourth successive year. Until four years ago Chicago always showed a higher mortality rate than the downstate counties."

DEATH OF UPHAM CAME AS SURPRISE TO CLOSE FRIENDS

Former Treasurer of Republican National Committee Passes Away Sunday

The death of Frederick Upham, for twenty years financial genius of the Republican party and among civic and industrial leaders of Chicago which occurred at Palm Beach, Fla. Sunday brought deep regret and sympathetic tribute today from Chicago associates, both politics business

None but a few intimate friends knew that Mr. Upham had been in failing health for the past year. Following the Republican convention in Cleveland last year, he and Mrs Upham went to the Adirondack mountains before returning to

National Republican treasurer was forced to go to Florida last November, knowing it was said, that death was only a matter of a short time.

Upham's beginning in politics was humble. His first post was an al-

BIG TONNAGE AT ZEIGLER

Mines Hoist Over Two Million and a Half Tons Past Year.

ZEIGLER, Ill., Feb. 16.—(By A. P.)—An average for every day the two mines worked last year the total tonnage hoisted was 12,294 tons. The total hoist for the year was more than two and a half million tons

During the year 1924, No. 2 mine hoisted more coal than did No. 1 mine within the twelve months this mine worked 247 days and hoisted 1,411,910 tons. In the same year, No. 1 mine hoisted 1,131,549 tons, or an average of 6,578 tons for each of the 172 days this mine worked.

For three months summer No. 1 mine closed down while the mine was being rebuilt. This shut down allowed Orient No. 1 to pass this mine for a yearly hoist of 1,4481,- tons.

With these repairs the Zeigler mine largely increased its capacity and came within a short distance of the total tonnage of Orient, while working only nine months within the year. For four years these two mines which are a short distance apart, both being in Franklin County, and Orient only four miles from Zeigler, have been breaking record after record in their race to be known as the world's largest coal mine. For a monthly hoist Zeigler easily maintains its lead. For daily record Orient shows the best. Now that the Zeigler mine was down three months during the year, Orient has secured the record of the largest annual hoist

ler No. 2 mine looked. No special effort has been made to make it the largest coal mine, yet its tonnage was less than seven thousand tons below the record est lished by Orient. Its average daily hoist for the year was 5,716 ton

Basket Assignments Announced For the Mt. Vernon Meeting

MT. VERNON, Ill., Feb. 16.—(By A. P.)—Twelve teams, six in class A and six in class B, are assigned up the district tournament to be held in Mt. Vernon March 5-6-7. The class A teams are Mt. Vernon, Marissa, Sparta, Pinckneyville, Chester and Nashville. In class B are Waltonville, Dahlgren, Evansville, Cisne, Opdyke, in class B, and Mt. Vernon, in Class A, are picked as the only strong teams in the list. If these two Jefferson county teams do not reach the final game, there is little doubt that Mt. Vernon will take all honors and go to the sectional tournament at Centralia March 12-13-14. Mt. Vernon won over Centralia 25 to 21 Saturday night

GAS TAX IN THIS STATE WOULD YIELD LARGE SUM

Gov. Small Says Two Cents Per Gallon Would Amount to Ten Million Annually

Urbana, Ill., Feb. 16.—(By A. P.)—A gasoline tax of two cents per on in Illinois would yield about ten million dollars a year, it has has been estimated, Governor Small said today in an address prepared to deliver at the opening session of the short course in highway construction at the University of Illinois.

The Governor, in urging that Illinois complete its bond issue system by connecting every incorporated city and village in the this system, pointed out not recommended the gasoline tax or any specific measure to supply the funds to bring 160 such cities and towns into the system. The original sixty million dollar bond issue of the one hundred million dollar issue voted in the November election, will connect every incorporated city and village in the state except 160 places.

The Governor estimated the expenditure in the next four years for paved roads and material would approximate $237,400,000 and that available funds for that period would total $162,000,000.

Mozart

It is doubtful if any exact spot where Mozart is bu was raging at the accompanied to the

activities of the different organiza of the town are being put aside this night open for this lec-

The Story Ben Thong

By JAY HEMINGWAY

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IF YOU believe that that implacable old lady Fate doesn't give her chessmen a little shove sometimes, one way or another, after they are in the game of life, just liste

For a whole year Mary Ellen's behavior had been simply incomprehensi- ble. Mrs. O'Hagen was exasperated. Not that she wanted her beloved daughter to marry and leave her, of course not! But whatever did she expect with all those nice fellows who came sending and asking her out to parties and things, and her acting so off ish-like. Did she think that the prince of Wales, perhaps, would be coming back to ask her to share his throne? It looked that way, it did indeed

it at last the pressure had been too for her and this evening Mary len had promised to go to the party was giving for her who was visiting her knowing

up the little bronze slippers that she hadn't worn for so long, she sat thinking. No one but herself knew beginning of the romance that Mary Ellen had put in her heart when she put those little bronze slippers and tripped

It was almost a year since Mary Ellen had

spend the afternoon with Sue Park went through the park as usual and in crossing over to the where the squirrels played, she caught one of the very high heels that had avoided stones and off it came. Picking it up she hobbled over to the bench. As she sat down on one end a

pardon, Miss, but did ye turn your ankle? I have a sister who is always doing that very thin It was then that Mary had come into her life. She but held out wooden travesty of a heel in explanation took it gravely

"Such a thing for a girl to be wearing of," he scolded, for all the world as though he had known if no wonder you tripped on

de a great old fuss when brought them home. But they pretty," and she tipped her head smiled shy

gave your shoe," he defterfully and when she had and tucked her stockinged over her he went over to the graveled path and pounded the heel into place with a flat stone.

Of course one can't run right off when a young man has been so very kind. So Mary Ellen lingered on her end of the bench and discovered that the soldier was on leave to attend a Legion meeting, and that he hadn't cared much about girls since he had and that it did seem good to him to find that there of his kind left. And he

would be on at the very

Then they said good-by and Mary Ellen went on to Sue's. There found a phone message telling come straight home

lived out west had died, and the whole family were to leave at seven the next morning for the funeral. Of course the adventure was over

a whole year Mary Ellen had hoping against hope. And no ped hoping, and was on way to the party with Tom Eldridge

When they got to Caroline's the girls were herded into the parlor and the on the porch until they came in they a curtain stretche the room and all that be seen of the girls we twenty pairs of pretty slippers of every sort and description. Each boy, in to cording to a number he had drawn was to choose his one for the evening feet under thrilling. was beating high. consternation when began to speak

"No siree, Cousin Carrie—I am not going to wait my turn. You said I was the guest of honor at this shindig, and I'm going to claim a guest of honor's privileges. I take the girl with the bronze shoes." And to the amazement of everyone, retiring little Mary Ellen O'Hagen stepped out from behind the improvised curtain, and went straight into the guest of honor's arms.

"I sat on that bench every afternoon for a week," he whispered "and you didn't come. But I felt it is my

Farmers Getting More of Square Deal In Land Valuation

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—(By A. P.) Illinois farmers are now getting more of a square deal in the matter of land valuation for tax assessment than they have at any time in the last five years," according to J. C. Watson director of the department of taxation and statistics of

The Association and the farm bureaus began studying taxation 1921, which time the assessments of farm lands and farm personal property were at their highest point, Watson said. "Despite the collapse in the value of farm property," he asserted, "further increases in valuations were proposed. Believing that the facts would not warrant any further increases, the association and the farm bureaus opposed such in-

The saving of more than $200,-000 in the farm property tax bill in 1923 is likely to be maintained year and this will probably be true every year until valuations are changed

"The I. A. A. believed that changes in the constitution and revenue laws absolutely necessary to any fair system of taxation in Illinois. If the changes can be secured they should eventually relieve farm land and urban real estate of the unfair portion of the intolerable burden which they are now carrying.

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FRANKLIN COUNTY'S HOME DAILY — [illegible] —EBRUARY 17, 19[illegible]

Arrangements are Well Under Way For Tournament

First of Semi Final Games Will Take Place on Thursday, March 5.

It is the sincere desire of the Board of Control of the Illinois High School Athletic Association that the basket ball tournaments conducted under the auspices of the Association be "red letter" events in the school annals of the year. Not only should they be conspicuous athletic events but they should be conducted in such a way as to develop friendship and good will through the exchange of the courtesies of good sportsmanship and the amenities that govern the conduct of ladies and gentlemen. Everyone attending should have a good time.

This statement was made yesterday by C. C. Hanna, principal of the Benton Township high school, in an interview given to an Evening News reporter concerning the coming Basket Ball tournament of the Southern Illinois Conference, which will take place in the Benton Township high school building, commencing March 5th.

The tournament classes according to Prof. Hanna will be arranged in the same manner as last year composed of A. and B. classes. The A and B classes to meet in semi-finals as heretofore, with the final games to be between the winners of the A and B semi-finals.

The teams included in the tournament held at Benton will be as follows: Class A West Frankfort, Benton, Du Quoin, Christopher, Elkville, [illegible] Galatia, Coulterville, Bonnie, Ina and Willisville.

The Southern Illinois tournaments will be made much smaller this year it was stated, with meetings at Marion, Mt. Vernon, and Harrisburg in order to establish a new center at Cairo.

The first game of the tournament here will take place at [illegible]0 on the evening of March 5th. There will be two games each evening, except during the finals, which will consist of one game only.

The doors of both the semi-finals and the final games will be opened at the same time.

Although there will be no reserved seats on sale, there will be reserved sections for the benefit of all those who hold season tickets. The price of admission for the semi-finals games will be 50 cents, which includes both games. Single admission for the finals will be 75 cents. Season tickets may be purchased for $2.50 and will be placed on sale about Feb. 23.

[illegible] place, [illegible] some time before February 21, and the order of the games will be made known. "The high school management," he continued, "will appreciate the continued co-operation of all persons, schools and organizations in an effort to make this the best tournament ever held in this part of the state.

It is the desire of the management that everyone display the very best [illegible]manship, and see that his [illegible]bors do the same thing. Every [illegible] requested to refrain from betting or gambling of any form in connection with the games.

"We ask the united co-operation of every one," Mr. Hanna concluded, "in an effort to make all of our visitors feel welcome, and send them away feeling glad the tournament was held in Benton."

Further announcements will be made later.

BENTON SOON TO HAVE NEW GREEN HOUSE

Plant to Cover Several Thousand Square Feet and Be Largest In Egypt.

If all arrangements which are now under way are carried through to final completion, the Benton Merchant will experience little trouble in the future in securing a complete assortment of fresh vegetables at all seasons of the year.

This statement was made possible by an announcement made this morning by J. A. Dalby, connected with the Stamper-Meyer Grocery, in which he stated that a company had organized and plans were now well under way for the erection of a green house on his "Sunny Slope Farm [illegible] one-half mile east of the Hart-Wil-[illegible]

Plans and specifications are already drafted he stated for the building of what proposes to be one of the largest plants of the kind in this part of the state. Besides several acres of ground which will be used for the cultivation of all kinds of fruits and [illegible] proper will cover several thousand [illegible]

"Sunny Slope Farm" which is owned by Mr. Dalby is ideally situated for such an enterprise, being only a short distance from town and almost within a stones throw of the hard road. The road leading to the farm from the hard road will be cindered so as to make travel possible at all times of the year.

The project is not altogether a new one for Mr. Dalby as he has conducted a very successful fruit and truck farm on the location for the past few years.

Just as soon as the weather permits workmen will commence the laying of the concrete foundation, the work on the big green house will start, he stated. "It is our intention," he said, "to have every thing completed and operation by the middle of the summer season."

Work then, he stated, will progress along the lines necessary to produce a [illegible]

Besides growing a complete line of fresh vegetables, the plant will be [illegible] ranged for the growing of flowers and potted plants.

A number of other nearby cities have for some time been operating such plants in a very successful manner, although not on an extensive scale as the one here proposes to be.

[illegible]uch a venture has never before been considered for the city of Benton, and Mr. Dalby feels that the merchants and business men of the city will realize the value of such an establishment and will lend their support and co-operation in such a way as to insure him success in his new undertaking.

To Start Work On Mile-Long Tunnel

OZARK, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Contractors are about to begin work near here for a mile-long tunnel through the Ozark hills for the Illinois Central "cut-off" from Edgewood to Metropolis. Machinery has been placed and laborers are arriving. This village, as the result of [illegible] construction, is assuming [illegible]s of a small city.

[illegible]

FAMOUS HERRIN [illegible]

[illegible] A. P.) [illegible] which [illegible]

LIONS TO PLAY CARBONDALE SATURDAY

Lions Clubs From Each City Will Meet in a Rough and Tumble Basket Game

Not getting any response from the Rotary Club from their challenge to meet the Rotes in a fast basketball game, the Lions still feeling the call of the wild, sent out a challenge to the Carbondale Lions Club, proposing to meet them in a knock down and drag out here next Saturday night, as a preliminary to the game between the Benton high school and the Carbondale five.

Close secrecy veils the movements of the Lion forces here as they are mustering their forces for the Saturday night affray. While officials refuse to give out the possible line[illegible] they feel confident of a stirring victory. It has been rumored that [illegible]rangements are being made with a number of the star players to play the game in relays. If in case one tall, lanky boy gives out just as victory is almost within the grasp of the home boys another tall lean lanky boy, will be put in to fill out, or put in to fill in, whichever the case may be.

Needless to say the game will be a spectacular representation of all the principals of good basket ball. And the boys propose to establish the fact that even though a man is fat and past forty he may yet have enough lion in him to make a whizz of a basket ball [illegible]

Roar Lions! Roar!

BENTON WINS FROM HARRISBURG GRADE SCHOOL

The Benton grade team [illegible] the Harrisburg Junior High School team last night in the local high school gymnasium. The game was fast and interesting from start to finish, ending in a score of 15 to 10. Mr. Tabor of the high school faculty refered for the graders.

In a preliminary game between the eighth grade girls and a team made up of the lady teachers, the eighth graders won 12 to 0.

MURPHYSBORO TO AID STRIKING COAL MINERS

MURPHYSBORO, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Old clothing and shoes for the striking coal miners of West Virginia and Kentucky are being collected by the Murphysboro Trade Council, acting under instructions from the American Federation of Labor. A large drygoods box has been placed at the fire station to receive goods. Miners of the two states have been on strike for about three years. Many miners' families are reported without sufficient food, clothing and shelter.

Arlie Neunlist Withdraws From Constable Race

On account of other business duties, which have accumulated during the past few weeks, Arlie Neunlist of Logan, who some few days ago, announced that he would be a candidate for constable on the Democratic ticket announces today that he is withdrawing from the [illegible]

Mr. Neunlist is a well liked and deserving young man and would have doubtless made an excellent officer, and his many friends who urged him to enter the race will be sorry to learn of his withdrawal. However Mr. Neunlist feels that with his other duties now on hands he would not be permitted to put as much time to the office as he would like should he be elected, and asks that his supporters lend their influence among the other various candidates, whom he believes are equally as well qualified to fill place as himself.

If you have anything to sell or trade, advertise it in the Classified [illegible]

MORE ROAD BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED

Contract May Be Let For Completion of "Fill" Between Benton and Frankfort.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Road contractors were advised this morning of road letting by the state March 16, when approximately 120 miles of paving, 20 miles of grading and 15 bridges in 23 counties will be subject to bi[illegible]

Included in the list is route 37, section 11K, 1.04 miles near West Frankfort, Franklin county; section 13V, 22 miles near Johnston City, in Williamson county.

New $204,000 Bridge Across Okaw River

SPARTA, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—A new bridge costing $204,000 is to be built across the Okaw River at Evansville, 15 miles southwest of Sparta. The Red Bud-Chester hard roads will lead over this bridge, which the contractors expect to complete in eighteen months.

Fine Well Struck At Metropolis

METROPOLIS, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—A well flowing 1,800 to 2,000 gallons of water a minute has been struck here at a depth of 425 feet. The well is a part of the new $180,-[illegible]

PLANS FOR MILITARY TRAINING

Illinois Guard to Hold Encampment At Rockford; Custer is Center of Activities.

Tentative plans for the [illegible] training of the National Guard, Organized Reserves and the stude[illegible] the Citizens' Military Training Camps of the Sixth Corps Area, have been mapped out by members of the staff of Major General H. C. Hale, commander of the Sixth Corps Area. These plans, which provide for the co-operation of the various units of the regular army within Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan as instructors are being eagerly awaited by members of the organizations co[illegible]

According to present plans the entire Thirty-Third Division, the Illinois National Guard, with the exception of its field artillery units, will [illegible] hold its encampment at Camp [illegible] The Wisconsin Guardsmen, [illegible]ir artillery will go to Camp Douglas and the Michigan Guard will complete their tour of duty at Camp Grayland, Michigan.

Camp Custer, Michigan, is the center of the training ac[illegible]ties for the entire area and the Citizens' Military Training Camp with 3,400 students will receive particular attention. At this camp there will be a number of regular and reserve officers detailed as instructors. The C. M. T. Camp will be operated from July 23 to August 21. The R. O. T. C. units of infantry,

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CHRONOLOGICAL HISTORY OF STEPS TO SAVE COLLINS

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—The chronological history of [illegible] heroic efforts to save Floyd Collins from his underground prison, is as follows:

Friday, Jan. 30.—Collins, exploring Sand Cave, discovers a marvelous underground coliseum, 80 feet high, about 300 feet from entrance to Sand Cave. Climbing out, a rock shift pinions his left foot.

Saturday—Collins' plight is discovered by Jewell Estes, son of the tenant on the farm into which Sand Cave burrows.

[illegible] used to [illegible] stone, so that it can be chipped [illegible] fail to achieve progress and Co[illegible] begs to be pulled out at cost of foot.

Monday—Air compressor and drill arrive from Louisville, but sand discourages their use.

Tuesday—Appeal issued for troops to preserve order. Electric lights taken in, one hung around Collins neck.

Wednesday—Collins reports his foot free, but slide cuts off rescuers. State troops arrive. Dr. Hazlett of Chicago finds it impossible to amputate Collins' leg so he can be taken [illegible]

Thursday—Floor of cavern rises and walls close in a few feet ahead of Collins. Last [illegible] his voice is [illegible]

[illegible] 50 feet from Sand Cave entrance to strike the original cavern just above Collins. Radio tests indicate Collins still alive.

Saturday—Rescue shaft progressed [illegible] feet of the estimated 60 feet to reach Collins.

Sunday—Fumes of banana oil, strong but harmless, forced into the cave but fail to emerge anywhere which taken to indicate no other en[illegible]e to the cavern.

[illegible]re that story was a hoax [illegible]s had been obstructed by resi-[illegible]

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JURY INQUIRES INTO HARDING GIRL'S DEATH

Death Thought to Have Been Result of Operation By [illegible]

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—An inquest opened here yesterday in connection with the death Saturday night of Nina Ruth Pierce, daughter of Robert H. Harding, East St. Louis real estate broker and a student of Illinois University until her marriage here a week ago to Logan Pierce, son of a C[illegible] was continued to [illegible] ommendation of the police, who want some more time to investigate the case and to find the missing husband.

Mrs. Lucy Hagenow, 75-year-old mid-wife, once convicted for, and seven times charged with the murder of young women, who was arrested in connection with Mrs. Pierce's death and appeared at the inquest. She admitted to police that a girl had visited her last Tuesday or Wednesday for an examination, but denied that she had made an operation. The police found her telephone number on a slip of paper in the Pierce's rooms and found the Pierces' address on a piece of paper in her office.

Two physicians testified at the inquest that Mrs. Pierce was in a critical condition when they were called in Saturday and was in need of immediate surgical attention. She died shortly after being taken to the Lying-In-Hospital. The husband had accompanied her to the hospital, remained there several hours, returned to learn his wife had died and then had vanished.

Robert H. Harding, father of the dead girl, and Harold W. Harding a brother, were at the inquest. The former was almost overcome with grief, and with tear-stained eyes he gave a brief [illegible] ter. Chambers Logan P[illegible] the girl's husband, was [illegible] an attorney who [illegible] client was trying [illegible] his son.

Body of Collins to Be Interred In Its Natural Tomb

"No More Lives Should Be Sacrificed to Remove Body," Father States.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—The body of Floyd Collins will [illegible] left in its natural tomb and his funeral services will be held this afternoon at the mouth of the shaft, which was dug to rescue him but in vain. His aged father, Lee Collins, consented to this a[illegible] Dr. William Hazlett [illegible] examined Collins and pronounced him dead.

"Everything has been d[illegible] d have been done and man's [illegible] in further attempts to rem[illegible] body [illegible]

Treacherous conditions in the old cave passage where Collins was caught in the natural rock trap during an exploring expedition made so perilous the effort of the workers to release him that they were withdrawn from the hole early this morning.

[illegible] shaft, in emphasizing his recommendation of the burial at the present position, said this was due to the hazardous conditions of the timbering in the shaft. Some of the cribbing had slipped, he said, making the position of the shaft workers most dangerous.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Revealed but not recovered, the body of Floyd Collins today still was lying in the natural tomb which has been his home for more than seventeen days while jaded miners spurred on at the realization that at last they have found the cave ex[illegible] away at the limestone roof of Cave.

Without warning the roof caved in yesterday afternoon and [illegible] nounced officially that [illegible] been found [illegible] the trapped man led physicians to express the belief that Collins had been dead for twenty-four hours.

Saddened that their long struggle had failed in so far as rescuing Collins alive was concerned, the sappers continued to toil far into the night timbering and excavating in the eight feet beyond where the lateral struck the original avenue.

Collins' feet probably will remain forever in the spot where they were pinned by the falling boulder. The perilous task of finding the body [illegible] complished, H. T. Carmichael, in charge of the rescue work, was unwilling to further risk the lives of the [illegible]rs in removing the boulder.

Surgeons went into the pit early [illegible]day to attempt to amputate Collins feet but were unable to reach the body which was almost covered with dirt and rock which must be removed before a medical examination can be made.

With the consent of Collins' family physicians will amputate both feet. Governor Fields, late last night [illegible]dered that an autopsy be held over the [illegible]dy by three physicians to determine the cause of death and to find if there [illegible]re any traces of foul play.

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—The quest is over. Mother Earth, after clinging grimly, in life and death to Floyd Collins, for more than 17 days, finally surrendered yesterday afternoon and without warning opened a tiny hole between a rescue shaft and the natural tomb of the cave ex-[illegible]

Peering down this tiny fissure into Sand Cave, the brave workers who had waged an unequal combat with the natural forces of the earth, saw that what they had fought so hard for had been lost.

Collins was dead.

But they will reclaim the body, only to restore it again to the rugged hill [illegible]

This was Lee Collins single statement that his boy had been found.

In a terse statement, signed by th[illegible] three men who had led scores of others in the long fight, [illegible] of the result

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JIM WANTS FRANKLIN IN BIG SHOW

Illinois Products Exposition to Be Held In Chicago O[illegible] 8th to 18th.

[illegible] Benton Commercial Club, from [illegible] D. Snyder of Chicago, telling of [illegible] position to be held in Chicago October the 8th to 18th. The Exposition, is [illegible]

Jim ever alert and on the look out for anything which may in any way help to boost his home county, is very insistent that Franklin county take a part in this years exposition.

The letter is as follows:

Mr. F. H. Stamper, Pres.
Commercial Club,
Benton, Illinois.

"My Dear Sir:—I want to call your attention to the Second Annual [illegible]nois Products Exposition to be h[illegible] position bui[illegible] this year in Chicago. This [illegible] nois displaying the various manufactured or raised in [illegible] cities and counties. Some are exhibited by Chambers of Commerce representing certain [illegible] some by counties, some by [illegible]tural organizations etc.

Last year Cairo and Alexander county had one of the best displays of [illegible] show. The first bale of cotton was shown together with the different farm and manufactures of the [illegible]

"Union county, I am advised, won second prize. They showed fruit exhibitions, farm products, dairy products, manufactured products and other pro-[illegible]

"Privilege to exhibit is sold by [illegible] certain sized booths in the American Furniture Mart Exposition Building and I understand that prices range from about $175.00 to $225.00, which are handled by the Illinois Chamber of Commerce.

"Most of the large agricultural counties or Chamber of Commerce from these counties had exhibits last

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"Off Again, On Again, Gone Again Riggle"

Not contented to be a gentleman of leisure while his less fortunate brothers earn their bread by the sweat of their brow, Rollie Riggle, has re-purchased his Exide Battery Station after selling out about one month ago.

Mr. Riggle is an expert battery man and his friends will be glad to learn that he has gone back into the [illegible]

Carrier Mills Mine May Soon Open

HARRISBURG, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Although the O'Gara Coal Company has closed its No. 12 mine at Muddy, employing three hundred [illegible]rs, the company is said to anticipate resumption of work shortly at its No. 15 mine at Carrier Mills, employing four hundred men.

[illegible]

ILLINOIS—Generally fa[illegible] night and Wednesday, not [illegible] tonight in north and [illegible] tions.

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Farm Adviser
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Five Prisoners Gain Freedom

QUINCY, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Five prisoners at the Quincy House of Correction sawed their way ...

Myers School N...

Last week we were favored on Friday afternoon with a visit from Mr. ...

O'Toole 99; Virgil Gan... Wintz 98; Walter Fix 9...

KLANSMEN VISIT BAPTIST ... AT EWING

... that the First ... of Ewing where a revival meeting now in progress was visited by ... Klan last Friday night. With words of praise to the minister the members of the church, the ... men tendered a large donation to the minister and disappeared as mysteriously as they had appeared.

... for the Evening News.

At all druggists
Never genuine without the name Koonler.
Neuritis Congestion Chest Colds

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists.
F. J. CHENEY & Co.

Don't allow your house to go begging for needed repair. It is cheaper to keep a house properly repaired and renovated from year to year than ...
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PILES — RECTAL CLINIC —
... Piles, Fissure, Fistula and all rectal diseases treated by my mild office ...

Packed in ... foil ... 10¢

The most remarkable tobacco ever offered to pipe smokers — in quality, in value, in taste

Back about 1870, James N. Wellman developed a secret tobacco process which just seemed to "go" with a pipe. No one else ever knew ... It yielded a fuller-bodied ... "Wellman's Method" and by its ... made "Granger Rough Cut"

Granger Rough Cut

MRS. D. L. WOODS ENTERTAINS AT COUNTRY CLUB

...d, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. L. E. Denny, Mrs. D. A. Wood, and Mrs. A. E. Martin, Jr., were hostesses at a beautifully appointed Valentine luncheon at the Country Club, Saturday afternoon, February 14th.

The dining room was resplendent ... of Valentine color, the ... board was embellished with trailing smilax through which sweet peas and violets were strewn, and at intervals, clusters of daffodils, giving a delightful hint of spring.

Plates were laid for fifty guests. The favors, containing fantastic cups, and merry and sentimental ... added much merriment to the luncheon.

... Mildred Kelly, in a costume of flaming red gave one of her charming solo dances, which was so enthusiastically applauded, that the little miss graciously repeated the number.

Card tables were brought forth and forty played bridge through the remainder of the afternoon, while the others enjoyed the music and other entertainment provided by the thoughtful hostesses.

Mrs. Don Brown carried of the honors in bridge for high score. Mrs. J. A. McCreery next high score and Mrs. J. E. Elder the guest prize.

Miss Mary Johnson and a group of high school musicians composed the orchestra which provided the music through out the afternoon.

The out-of-town guests were Mrs. ... McKittrick of Mt. Carmel, Mrs. ... Upchurch and Mrs. J. E. Elder ... nkfort, Miss Margaret Webber of Galatia, and Miss Cora Martin of Madisonville, K...

This delightful affair proved again the joy of having people as the "...'s" come into our midst. Such hospitality as theirs is an art.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB MEET

The Home Economic Department ... Wed- ... 18th, at the home of Mrs. Fred Neal, at 904 East Main street.

Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Austin had as their dinner guests last evening, Mrs. Austin's brother, Attorney John M. Reid and wife of Marion.

The regular monthly meeting of the Philathea class will be held at the church Tuesday at 7:00. All members are urged to be present. This is the time for payment of dues.

Paul Sanders son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sanders of Aiken Grove, had his tonsils and adenoids removed in Dr. Johnson's hospital this morning.

Mrs. Charles Glidwell of West Frankfort visited with her father, Henry Hudson here yesterday.

— SPECIAL. —

Ten bars Olive Glo soap $1.00, one Turkish bath towel 35c, total value $1.35, special sale price 69c.—Dr. Hart's Drug Store. 38t2

Mr and Mrs. O. Q. Wilson spent Monday in St. Louis.

L. C. Carson of Nason was a business visitor in Benton today.

... Pythian Sisters that can go to Logan Tuesday evening and assist in the staff are requested to be at the ...

... Book Store.

Mrs. O. Helfrick of West Frankfort is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. E. Vancil and family of this city.

— SPECIAL —

Gold Fish here at last! Small, medium, large, 10c, 15c, 25c.—Dr. Hart's Drug Store. 38t2

Dr. Cecil Hampton and Rudy Fagg... of West Frankfort were visitors in Benton last evening.

... Herrin Supply Co. odd lot sale ... their gingham and muslin specials ... hundreds of other Big Bargains are bound to draw Big ...

Mrs. Roy Neal of Logan was a visitor at the Potter Beauty Shop yesterday.

NOTICE

All merchants are cordially invited into conference with a committee from Local 1065 (Retail Clerks Ass'n.) to be held in the city hall Tuesday, Feb. 17 at 7:30 for the purpose of taking up the renewal of the contract for the year beginning April 1, 1925, and ending March 31, 1926.—By Order of Committee.

Mrs. J. E. Bolen is spending the afternoon in West Frankfort.

Clover, Timothy and Red Top seed. —Browning's Book Store. 36t3

Mrs. L. Nesbit of West Frankfort was a business visitor in Benton yesterday.

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Woodland Dairy, phone 722.

Mrs. Percy Epstein and baby are spending a few days in St. Louis.

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bushel bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store. 38tf

Fritz Williams and Kenneth Odum motored to West Frankfort last night and attended the show.

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Gold fish here at last! Small, medium, large, 10c, 15c, 25c.—Dr. Hart's Drug Store. 38t2

Baby chicks and hatching eggs from bred to lay, true to type, White Rocks, Barred Rocks, R. I. Reds, White Leghorns, state inspected, post paid.—John L. Laird, Mt. Vernon. 38t6

ENOUGH

We will loan your money on good security, 7 per cent time loans, with 5 per cent premium to you and we pay all taxes on loans for you. If interested write to us.—Dorris Real Estate & Loan Corporation, Harrisburg, Ill. 40t6

The Herrin Supply Co., will sell on Saturday and Monday, 25c Zephyr Gingham 32 in. wide at 12½c yard, 8 yards for $1.00, not over $1.00 worth to one customer. Also 15c Unbleached Muslin, good grade 10c yard.

Bert Bagley of West Frankfort was a business visitor in Benton this afternoon.

William Scarborough and F. ... Allen have opened an automobile repair shop in connection with the ... station at 701 North McLeansboro. The shop is now open for business with expert mechanics ...

The ... gumbo ... sible, be in ... and ... adding ... form ... organi... poration ... more pra...

AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

What is Being Done or Talked About in Town and Rural Districts in Franklin County

BUCKNER

By RUTH BREEZE

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Curren went motoring Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Everett Barnes spent Sunday with Mrs. Barnes' parents in Benton.

Dan Rehesiar visited relatives in Buckner Saturday and Sunday.

Lena Lotis returned to St. Louis ... a visit with relatives ...

Charles Petit and family were trying out their new car Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Turpin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Timmons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Buckner and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Sims yesterday.

Mrs. Ruth Breeze spent Saturday and Sunday in St. Louis with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Carter. Mr. Breeze went over Sunday morning.

... no idea how the fire started as they had had no fire in the cook stove since yesterday noon. They had been visiting all afternoon, and, returning home about 9 o'clock, went to bed without stirring the fire. About 2:30 they were awakened by the smoke and when they started into the kitchen, found it so full of smoke they could not go in. They grabbed the children and a few clothes and ran over to a neighbor's house. The alarm was given but there was no chance to save anything but a trunk, dresser and a few clothes. Mr. Florinia has a little insurance on his furniture. The house belonged to a man in Christopher.

Louis Gheradina and Joe Lamaxxi were out driving Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Welshams left this morning for East St. Louis to visit her son and attend a birthday dinner to be given for her mother tomorrow.

Mrs. Anna Tregoing, Mr and Mrs. Roy Tregoing, Mr. and Mrs. Tenner Tregoing, Fred and Earl Freman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Webster yesterday.

Peggy Thomas is the proud owner of a new car.

Miss Charlotte Davis spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mary Browning in Christopher.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Harlecourt went to Springfield Saturday morning.

Mrs. Parker returned to her home in East St. Louis this morning.

Mrs. Lena Greene of Terre Haute, Ind., returned to her home Saturday morning after a seven weeks visit with her cousin, Roy Heacox and ...

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lanton were in West Frankfort yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sycock were ... of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fidg...

Mr. and ... daughter Grace LaVerne, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lewis at W...

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith and Mrs. James Boan, Mr. and Mrs. George Harrison of Jeffry, spent Saturday night and Sunday with C. West and family.

Mrs. Markham spent a few days last week in Jeffry.

Oscar Carter and children drove to Galatia and spent the day with his brother, Joe Carter, and family.

... eve Lucas, John, Paul and F... Saltiez drove to Orient to visit friends yesterday.

BESSIE

... present time it is fine warm weather. We will sure be glad when spring ...

Mr and Mrs. Earl Neal spent last Sunday with Jim Lawrence and family.

Roscoe Jones of the Mt. Etna vicinity was up in this vicinity one day last week and took back a load of ...

... Summers made a business trip to Logan one day last week.

George Otterson and family spent ... st Sunday with Miles Otterson ... family who live south ...

Jerry Neal has been purchasing some setting hen ... is setting them so he ... early chick ...

Some of the farmers had been sowing oats but when the snow came they ... to quit and wait until the weather gets better.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas Stites spent one day last week with Earl Neal ...

Mr. Mon Warren of near Webbs Hill spent one day last week with Marion Warren ...

Mrs. Gertie Shepherd was a business caller in Bessie one day last week.

Fred Kaemper and Sanford Allen made a business trip to Akin last ...

Since the snow the farmers have left their fields and have hunted the fire where they can talk and enjoy themselves.

Louis Kirlels, Arlie Webb, and Wm. Lipe passed through Bessie one day last week breaking a mule.

Ernest Goessman has been repairing his car.

Walter Cleveland was on our streets last Saturday.

San. Allen and family spent last Sunday with John Davis and family.

Mrs. Minnie Davis and ... spent last Sunday with Mr. ... Dug Allen.

Bennett, Benton ...

Rolan Neal and wife of near Thompsonville passed through this vicinity ...

... Goessman and wife spent last Sunday evening with John Davis and family.

... r. and Mrs. Johnnie Moore were in Bessie last Saturday.

Arlie Webb was in Bessie one day last week trading.

WILLOW BRANCH

By VALLIE HATCHETT

We had quite a snow storm in this neighborhood last week but it melted and is gone at this writing, and it looks now like spring has come.

Lewis Forrester made a business trip to Thompsonville one day last week.

We understand a horse fell down with Rev. C. A. Curry one day last week and hurt him pretty badly.

... Puckett of Thompsonville ... through these parts one day ... k, going to his farm which ... Akin neighborhood.

Earl Neal of the Bessie neighborhood, was in these parts one day last week looking for some hogs to buy.

... nce the steam shovel has started ... h this school district several ... there have found ...

Claud Bolen and Elzie Summers of Akin passed through this vicinity Sunday to attend Sunday school and church at Carter's Temple.

James Smith sold J. A. Bolen some nice hogs last Friday morning.

I. W. Branson received word last Friday morning that his cousin John ... ley of Benton had been killed by ... car on Thursday night. His father Wm. Bailey, was a sister of Mrs. Martha Tate of this vicinity.

Sherman Miller and wife attended church at Akin last Sunday morning.

Dick Bennott of Weaver visited one night of last week with James Smith.

Last Sunday was just like a re... There were so many people ... team shovel looking at the ...

JIM WANTS FRANKLIN IN BIG SHOW

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year and the show was such a success that it will be continued from year to year.

"Arrangements are now being made for the exposition this year and more commercial organizations and counties will be represented.

"Some of the booths were in charge of the Secretaries of the Commercial association some in charge of booths by Farm Bureau representatives, while some were very ably handled by very charming young women and girls from the respective counties.

Favor Franklin County Exhibit

"With the vast amount of high grade apples, peaches, pears, melons, sweet corn, Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, beets, tomatoes, turnips, etc., together with other farm and dairy products produced in Franklin county, I believe that by Benton, West Frankfort, Christopher, Sesser, Zeigler, Royalton and the other cities and towns organizing with the Farm Bureau, Fair Association, Rotary and Lions Clubs, we could have ... display that will be ... and Franklin County.

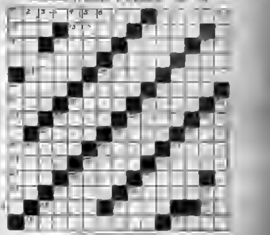
"Then we could ask each coal operator in the county to furnish a certain sample of one kind of coal in a uniform container, which would be very attractive. Samples of Franklin county coke and the by products could also be obtained with little expense.

"I am sure the Women's Clubs of the county could arrange for a fresh shipment of Franklin County flowers each day for the booth and they could also furnish charming attendants for the booths.

"Franklin County can win the prize that year and I am ready to help do it."

Yours very truly
J. D. SNYDER

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



Cheaper Grain Ration

The high price of corn has caused cattle feeders to look about for a ... demands a careful study of the feeding value of different feeds and combinations of feeds before investing. "At ... est and best grain ration that can be fed fattening cattle consists of a combination of corn, six parts, and cottonseed cake or meal, one part, these proportions by weight. There are many feeds now being offered that may cost less per ton, but they cost considerably more on the basis of actual feeding value.

States With Indian Names

Twenty-two of the states have names of Indian origin. They are: ...

Simple Way to Take Off Fat

... ing a convenient little tablet four times each day until your weight is reduced to normal? Of course not. Just purchase a box of Marmola Prescription Tablets from your druggist for one dollar and start now to reduce. Follow directions— ... ercising. Eat substantial food, ... as lazy as you like, and keep on getting slender. Thousands of men and women each year regain healthy, slender figures by using Marmola Tablets. Purchase them from your druggist, or send direct to ... Co., General Motors Bldg., ...

Classified Ads

FOR RENT—5-room house at 1501 North Main. Apply 505 N Commercial. 6tf

FOR RENT—5-room house with garage and half acre of land.—W R Jones. 39t6

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment Main. Phone 86. 40tf

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms, nicely furnished, Phone 524W 111 Huddleson St. 38t3

FOR RENT—furnished rooms for ... 405 W Webster. light housekeeping. —Mrs. Claude

FOR SALE OR TRADE Equity in 5-room house. Good location. Call ..., between 7 a. m. and 3 p. m.

FOR SALE—Star touring car; A1 condition; at bargain; reason for selling party leaving town. For particulars see Chas. H... Gard Oil Company plant

FOR SALE—household furniture. — Roy Moore. Phone 799R. 39t6

FOR SALE—new modern 5-room ... use, furnished including piano, ... white enameled gas stove. Phone ...-W.—209 College. Price $4000 36tf

FOUND—Brown and white potted bird dog—Joe Vietti, 504 McKinley.

LOST—1925 Illinois License plate, No. 250-333.—Return to News of...

WANTED— $10,000,000 Company wants man to sell Watkins Home Necessities in Benton. More than 150 used daily. Income $35-$50 weekly. Experience unnecessary. Write Dept. H-6. The J. R. Watkins Company, 1... 178 Liberty St., Winona, Minn. 38t

WANTED—Quick Meal gasoline range, good electric stove for sale or trade.—C. W Hodge, Whittington, I.I.

LATE REVIEW OF BASKETBALL CONFERENCE

ST LOUIS, Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Another shake-up in the Egyptian High School Conference basket ball results last week leaves the teams facing a new week play with but one radical change. West Frankfort, former leader and last year's champion, has dropped into fifth place.

Carbondale, long tied with West Frankfort for full thousand percent honors, has dropped into the three-figure column but still retains the lead with a 83-point precedence ... Herrin and Benton.

The latter two have moved as ... from a tie in third place to a division of second place. Tomorrow Benton is expected to add to its conquest with a victory over Johnston City and Herrin will probably match it ... a win from Cairo Friday night.

Saturday's clashes will ... Carbondale and Benton together then ... can take the lead if its wins a ... head in its Saturday game with Murphysboro.

Running into the near finals, the conference title is still far from settled with at least three heads in position to receive the crown.

... conference games for this week

Tomorrow
At—Johnston City vs Benton
Friday
At—Anna vs Murphysboro
At—Herrin vs Cairo
Saturday
At—Benton vs Carbondale
At—Marion vs Herrin
At—Cairo vs Harrisburg

West Frankfort
Murphysboro
Anna
...
Johnston City

History of Steps To ...

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dents of Cave county.

Tuesday—Court martial ... witnesses assail hoax theory, tunnel reaches the 10-foot level.

Wednesday Military court continued. Sound amplifier tests fail for first time to record noises believed to have been Collins' respiration. Banana and fumes enter shaft from small crevices in bottom of the shaft.

Thursday—Mining drill strikes limestone at depth of 48 feet, thought to form top of prison. Downward draft felt for first time in shaft and accepted as indicative that large crevice near shaft.

Friday—Earth cravice found at 50-foot level proves impassable after a few feet of penetration. Workers in shaft and tunnel hear Collins cough.

Saturday—Conversation tests, between shaft and tunnel indicated they are only a few feet apart. Shaft down 55½ feet at 3:15 p. m. and digging ceases at bottom while plans perfected for lateral tunnel.

Sunday Seven feet of lateral shaft cornered and timbered under difficulty because of mud filled with big limestone boulders.

Monday—Visiting engineers praise shaft as perfect piece of work. Two ... physi... to aid if Collins is found alive. Start work on limestone roof over ... Explorer is found dead in ...

Conference of A. M. E. Church March 11 - 12

METROPOLIS Ill., Feb. 17—(By A. P.)—Bishop W. T. Vernon of Quindaro, Kans., will preside at the fortieth annual session of the ... E. church conference of the district here March 11 and ... district includes all of S... Illinois below Carbondale and Harrisburg.

Particularly Then

The world likes a good loser particularly if it gets some of his money.—Louisville Courier Journal.

Constipation

Pep-Elixo

Free Sample Bottle Mailed to any address King Mfg. Co. Dept. 200 St. Louis, Mo.

Learn this Business of ...

... NATURAL TOMB

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and paid tribute to ... his assistants.

After describing the break through the roof of Sand Cave and telling of the preliminary investigation of it by Albert Marshall the statement said:

"His game little partner, Ed Brenner, of Cincinnati, whose work had been very conspicuous and of untold value by reason of his small stature, and great strength and iron nerve, went down head foremost into the hazardous pit and with little light closely examined the face and position of the man who we understand is Floyd Collins and called up to Mr. Carmichael, five feet above him, that the man was cold and apparently dead."

The bulletin was signed by Brig. Gen. P. H Denhardt, H T Carmichael and M. S. Posey.

Dr. William Hazelett of Chicago and Dr. C. E. Francis of Bowling Green, Ky., announced later that from information they had obtained, Collins had been dead more than 24 hours.

Although the quest for Collins had ended in locating his body, the tired miners, saddened by the realization that the man they tried so hard to save was dead turned, heavy hearted to the still dangerous task of recovering the body.

Hours of digging remained ahead of them before they could remove Collins from his tightly wedged position in the narrow passage to Sand Cave.

When, finally they brought him from this tomb, Collins' body will be consigned to a grave in the cave after funeral services under the high dome of Crystal Cave, which itself stands as a monument to the man. Surely, Floyd, himself, could his wishes be known would choose no other spot than the beautiful cave his explorations opened to the world. There, amid its stalagmites and stalactites ... funeral services will be held.

The "monument" to the rescue work ... however, will be torn down by the hands that built it. The rescue shaft will be dynamited after Collins body is removed.

"It is a dangerous place and we do not want any one else trapped in there," said Mr Carmichael, in charge of excavation.

From the early days of the cave man's entrapment, when friends and neighbors made many futile efforts to extricate him, down through the days that followed, there waged a great struggle with nature and the elements.

Collins was found firmly pinioned by a boulder which fell on his foot as he was emerging from the cave, 21 hours after the accident. Friends and neighbors rushed to his aid time after time rescue parties went into the narrow, crooked passage and wormed their way along its slimy course to where the man was imprisoned. Their efforts to get him out were unavailing and others from the outside came in.

Miners from the coal fields and from the asphalt mines of the Kentucky rock asphalt company at Kyrock, Ky., flocked to the rescue. Newspaper men assigned to the cave to "cover" the story, made that an incidental part of their endeavors, and turned their first attention to the helpless man.

...erpor W. J. Fields sent Mr. Posey to the scene as his personal representative. State troops followed, a little handful of them at first, and then Gen. Denhardt, commander of the 75th infantry brigade, was ordered to take supreme command of the situation. The resources of the state were thrown behind the rescue efforts.

Dr. W. D. Funkhouser of the University of Kentucky came in as the state geologist and Mr. Carmichael, general superintendent of the plant at Kyrock, who had come here as an individual, joined forces with the state and was put in charge of the rescue operations.

Meantime the unorganized efforts of individuals to drag Collins out thru the natural tunnel had been replaced with an organized force.

But this force was unequal to the task of overcoming one obstacle after another that was placed in the way of those who tried to save the trapped ...

Nature had laid the trap in the first place so that no one could get to it. Collins was in the narrow passage be... the rescuers and the rock which held him down. When hope was high that they soon could get the boulder a cave-in closed the passageway. This was cleared, away only to have an impenetrable one dumped into the crevice, completely cutting off the prisoner from the outside.

A shaft was started a few feet from the mouth of the cave and for ten days the workers slowly dug their way toward the cave. Time after time just when the workers believed the end of their long fight was at hand, nature played another trump and delayed the day when Collins was to be ...

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..., signal corps and engineers from the various colleges and uni...

18 to July ... artillery will receive their training at Sparta, Wis.

The most interesting phase of the training this year, taken far as affects the thousands of reserve officers in the three states is the announcement that the training will be conducted by organization. In previous years the reserve officers have been given training at Camp Custer individuals, but this year the entire officer personnel of the selected regiments, including the regimental staffs, will be ordered out. This will insure better functioning of the units. Practically all of the various regiments of the reserve divisions are now completely officered by reserve personnel and it is the consensus of opinion among military men that this form of training will do more to promote the esprit de corps of the organization than any other system of training that could be outlined. These officers, all of whom are following the military game while in civil life will have an opportunity to meet and work with the other officers of their command. It will be of greater value in the training of these officers for any emergency that may arrive, it is also pointed out.

The National Guard artillery units of Illinois and Wisconsin will go to Sparta, Wis., but the Michigan artillery will accompany the other units of their division to Camp Grayling. The Wisconsin artillery and the 122d Illinois Field Artillery will be in Sparta from August 1st to 15th and during the remainder of the month the guns of the 123d and ...h Field Artillery of Illinois will be limbered up.

The University of Illinois at Urbana, has the only Air Service unit in this area and these students will receive their mechanical and flying training at Chanute Field, Rantoul, from June 19 to July 30, the same period that the other units of the school will be at Camp Custer.

An elaborate program is contemplated for the Air Service units of the Reserve Corps. One squadron, either attack or observation, composed of reserve officers, will train at Chanute Field from August 2 to the 15th, and another squadron to follow them for the remainder of the month. Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan, will have two pursuit squadrons of reserve officers train at that place from August 2d to 15th and from August 16 to 30th. The balloon companies of the organized reserves will travel to Scott Field, Illinois, for their 15 days of active duty. Two baloon companies will be ordered to the field for the period from, August 2d to 15th and two other companies will relieve them for the period from August 16th to 30th.

It is expected that the various miscellaneous units throughout the Corps Area will be sent to other training centers in different parts of the country. If the present plan is followed out the Coast Artillery C... will go to Fort Monroe, Va., ... O. T. C. Ordnance to Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., and the Medical and Dental R. O. T. C. to Fort Snelling, Minn.

Jefferson Barracks, Mo., which is a regular army post of the Sixth Corps Area, will train five hundred students entering for the basic course of the C. M. T. C., from July 27 to August 21. The officers of one entire regiment of the organized reserves will train with the C. M. T. C. students from July 16 to July 30.

Under the weight of the miners the limestone roof of "Sand Hole" as the workers called it, gave way and at last revealed the victim.

Last night they were digging him out.

WALTER KRAUSER GETS NEW TRIAL

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Another trial of Walter Krauser, convicted of the murder of Policeman Ralph Souders of Chicago, and sentenced to hang, was ordered by the Supreme Court, today in reversing and remanding the decision of the Chicago criminal court.

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One of the many very excellent features of the Boy Scout organization was brought quite vividly to the attention of all Benton folks yesterday and to day when every Boy Scout in Benton, took an active part in chaperoning the hundreds of school children, who were given an opportunity ... ture at the special morning matinees.

G. S. Western, Deputy Commissioner of the Boy Scouts, stated that he had asked the boys to assist in taking care of the school children, and that their work in the theatre, seeing that every one was properly seated and on the outside watching the little ones as they went to and from the theatre building, was a true example of the manly principles embodied in the Boy Scout program.

From early morning until every child was safely back at their respective schools the army of Boy Scouts were on watch. In the show building they assisted in keeping order, in seating the great crowds and in cleaning up the auditorium after each show.

At the conclusion of the performances the boys were out on the streets and were stationed at each street crossing, where they acted as traffic officers for the little ones and saw them safely across the busy streets.

Hats off to the Boy Scouts of Benton.

MURPHYSBORO EAGLES TO HAVE $40,000 HOME

MURPHYSBORO, Ill., Feb. 17.—(By A. P.)—Local ... their new $40,000 ... assisted by state and grand lodge officers of the order. The dedicatory address will be delivered by Grand Organizer O'Donnell.

John Perry, Grand Worthy President and Conrad H Mann, legal adviser of the order, both of Kansas ... will attend the dedication with Secretary James O'Keefe of Chicago ... present the Illinois Grand Lodge. Invitations will be sent to all Illinois lodges.

Grand lodge officers will remain to initiate a class of 100, which will be known as the "pop" Gill class, named after the president of the Murphysboro Eagles, who designed the new home. The Eagles will move into their new home March 15.

Read the Classified Column.

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Mr. Tufford declared he had ... fighting "free publicity" ... tions of the ...

tion, backed by capital, that has only one objective, and that is to get space in newspapers free, for its own benefit."

"One of the most difficult problems to solve and handle," he continued, "is the automobile industry, ... continuously in an effort to get free publicity, and to get national advertising at local advertising rates. Its greatest force seems to be with the organization reporting fatalities from automobile accidents, in which it contracts and ties up the daily newspapers to send in reports of accidents and agree to publish the list of accidents and stories regarding them that this organization sends out. These seems to be one main objective, and that is to advertise automobiles free.

"The secretary was charged with the duty of trying to surpress free publicity and has persistently continued to do so being threatened and misrepresented, and criticised.

One concern that I have a great deal of correspondence from, threatened me with prosecution or something, and yet they all the time want free publicity and never pay anything ... wspapers, but do pay high-priced hired help, job printers, office rent, postage to the government and all that stuff, and claiming to be financed.

"All of this bounds off, doesn't worry. One of the big railroad com... were going to get this job away from me because I was fighting free publicity on instructions of the Inland.

"Many other associations are ... in trying to help."

The epithet ... "learned blacksmith," was bestowed upon Elihu Burritt, the American reformer, author and linguist. He began life as a blacksmith about 1827, and worked at the trade for many years, during which time he made himself proficient in ancient and modern languages. It is said that he acquired a mastery of 18 ...

Sunday Monday Tuesday

CAPITOL

25 & 50 Cts.

Live through the events that ... a nation with the man who ... history's ...

Nothing in Great Before—

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ASK REVISION PRESENT STATE PRIMARY LAW

All Candidates in Primary Election Would Be Placed On One Ballot.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 18.—(By A. P.)—A movement to completely revise Illinois primary election laws so that a voter may vote for any candidate at a primary without regard to primary was launched yesterday by the House elections committee and will be carried to the floor later, either on an amendment to bills now pending or as the subject of a separate measure.

The idea first was projected by Representative William (Chicago, during the discussion on a bill by Representative John Gibs Chicago, which provides for the nomination of all circuit judges but an amendment suggested by Speaker holes was presented by Gibson and accepted. The committee voted that the bill as amended be passed.

Others who spoke in favor of the proposal to place all primary candidates on one ballot were Representatives Howard P. Castle, Barrington, and Michael Hennebry, Wilmington ch expressed the opinion that it would strengthen the primary system by removing the biggest objection which most voters have to it the idea that they have to restrict their sup- of one party and their vote, and would result in a much greater turnout at primary elections than at present is the

In addition to Gibson, those who spoke in favor of the bill for the di-

Walker, president of the Illinois deration of Labor; Victor Olander secretary of the Federation, and Representative Lee O'Neill Browne, Ottawa, Castle, Thon and Hennebry.

"Candidate for the legislature who make the laws are nominated by primary and candidates for judgeships to interpret them should be chosen the same way" said Browne "There is no reason why the primary law should not apply equally to a l elective offices."

Walker charged that the present system makes Judges too suscept ble to evil political influences and that "selections of candidates now are to relieve the situation

Senator Reed replied that if anything were to be done, it should be the refunding of the $10 fee

DOWN STATE OUT VOTES CITY OF CHICAGO

Senatorial Reaportionment Resolution is Defeated By Vote of 88 to 54.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 18.—The House today by a vote of 88 to 54, defeated a motion by Representative Snackenberg of Chicago, to reject the report of the judiciary committee to be placed for a resolution for the senatorial reportionment to the floor.

The vote followed a long and bitter

Facts and figures on the state road building program designed to show the mileage to date and the mileage that will be built under the on hundred million dollar bond issue, will be placed before the Senate before that body considers additional revenue measures and the proposed gasoline

decided this morning, upon motion of Senator Barr that ects, chief engineer of the highway department requesting that he appear next Tuesday afternoon before the Senate as a committee of the whole and explain the status of road building with relation to present appropriation and proposed measures.

37 OCCUPATIONS REPRESENTED IN LEGISLATURE

Of the 204 Members of General Assembly, Sixty-One Are Lawyers

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 18.—(By A. P.) If members of the Fifty-fourth General Assembly were suddenly marooned on a desert island they would have enough combined skill, a classification of members to occupation shows, to get along without the rest of the world, although such a community would be overburdened with lawyers

Thirty-seven occupations are represented in the house membership and the senate has twenty-one cupations listed

Of the 204 members of the General Assembly 6 are lawyers and a number have at some time or other studied law but have since abandoned it for other work Attorneys in the House number forty-two and there are nineteen legal lights in the senate

Second on the list of occup of House Members are fifteen men who are employed in other public offices, either city or state. Teachers, who also draw money from the public purse, are not listed in this classification

Farmers are third with thirteen representatives while real estate men are tied for fourth place with ten each.

Close behind are the merchants with nine representatives and next in order are the seven who combine the real estate and insurance busi-

one of the other occupations has more than three with the exception of automobile dealers and publishers, of whom there are four each. Grain dealers, housewives and teachers have three representatives each and there are two each of teamsters, printers, and bankers and two men who combine farming and banking into one business.

All other businesses or occupations are limited to includes cigar dea rmen, contractor, restauranteur, manufacturer, painter and decorator,

LOCAL WATER SUPPLY NOW ADEQUATE

Connection of Lake Moses to Hamilton Lake and Ballast Pond Completed.

Benton is sitting pretty now as far as the city water supply is concerned. Other towns may be facing a shortage, but Benton is now "carrying insurance" so to speak, by the acquisition of Lake Moses.

Manager McCollough of the C. I P. S. Co. stated this morning that the connection between Lake Moses and the ballast pond had been completed and the company planned to give it a test today.

While the water in Lake Moses is to be within our grasp any moment it is needed, we are not to use it until the supply at the ballast pond and Hamilton Lake has given out. These two reservoirs are now out of their banks, with little likelihood of going dry any ways soon.

With this new water supply and the new fire truck, looks like Benton a well fortified against the fire bug.

FRANKFORT DEBT LARGE

Amount Totals $673,150.36; Assessed Valuation $2,500,000.

West Frankfort is now $673,150.36

This is the information revealed in a statement of the city's indebtedness which has been completed by Alderman Clarence L. Scott and City Clerk John C Webb

Of the total indebtedness, $447,155 is for outstanding improvement bonds and $39,482.52 is for supplemental assessments. This debt is against individuals and property owners and not against the city as a municipal

The city's total liabilities, according to the statement, are $186,602.84. This includes $89,448.03 in outstand $69,500 in municipal bonds 50.81 in outstanding judg-

Of the $89,448.03 in outstanding orders $1,628.31 are for the City Hall $12,000 are for the City Park and $1,225 are for judgments and costs against the city

The assessed valuation of the city given at $2,500,000.

FORD TRUCK HITS SEDAN

A Ford truck and Ford sedan had a smash-up at the intersection f East Main and Commercial streets about 5 p. m. yesterday. The sedan was headed toward the square and while crossing the mouth of Commercial was struck by the truck going north. The truck was not damaged but the front fender on the sedan was torn off. We were unable to learn the names of the parties driving the cars.

CIRCUIT COURT AGAIN BUSY

Circuit Court convened yesterday

Eagleton on the bench, and the case of H. A. Toncannon vs J A. Lewis, a sumpsit, consumed the entire day

is being heard today. The case is over

ance business formerly conducted at West Frankfort

Fishing Licenses Are Now Ready

The 1925 fishing licenses have received by City Clerk Joe Mitchell, and persons desiring to engage in this sport, can arm themselves with the proper authority to bait-em-up by calling at his office on North street.

Former Franklin County Man in Bad At Taylorville

On last Monday Deputy Circuit Clerk G. L. Hockgeiger and G. A Hickman went to Taylorville to appear in the case of the People vs Argrotis, who was charged with dis- and many other

Joe Argrotis was sent to the penitentiary from this county in 1909 for manslaughter, having killed a man by the name of Joe Brow on April 909 He was sent up for an indeterminate sentence and was out on parole, and it was the intent identify him as the same Joe Arg who was sentenced from this county

Would Set Aside December 28, As National Holiday

WASHINGTON, February 18.—(By A. P.)—Woodrow Wilson's birthday December 28, would be set aside as a national holiday under a joint

Neely, Democrat, West Virginia. The was referred to the judiciary

...ed to Congress

NCISCO, Calif., February P.)—Mrs. Florence widow of Con-

lay because their de for pay increases have not been met. The strike possibilities of a sympathetic walkout of the garb-

Sand Cave Hill Closing in on Body Of Floyd Collins

Sagging of the Rescue Shaft and its Lateral Tunnel Indicates Nature's Intention of Sealing Kentuck Tomb Forever.

nounced he had been reach three days too late.

CAVE CITY, Ky., February 18.—(By A. P.)—Floyd Collins came to his death "from exposure caused by being accidentally entrapped in what commonly known as Sand Cave," a coroner's jury declared last night after a detailed investigation

An immediate, thorough investigation by three or more disinterested doctors of the body was ordered by the state, Gov Fields had announced He ordered M. E. S. Posey, executive secretary of the state Highway commission, to have the doctors examine the body of Collins for "investigation of possible foul play, including poison ing" the Governor said

"I wish the country to know all the facts. I wish the stomach of Collins to be examined. There should be nothing left in the minds of the people."

On the hill above Sand Cave yesterday afternoon the family and friends held funeral services for Collins. There was no casket, no corpse, no grave and

Sixty feet underground in the Sand Cave trap which closed upon him eighteen days ago, lay the body of Collins, discovered a few days too late by the rescuers. Rather than risk the lives of any of the tireless volunteers, his family chose to leave him in the cave for his last sleep

Physicians, his friends, and officials of the rescue party crept down into narrow tomb to gather the evidence that Floyd was buried and that he was dead. None of his family could take a last look, but the thought that Collins would have chosen such a sport, among his beloved caves, comforted them.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Collins there, silent in the last earthly for their son. The aged couple sat

de by side in small chairs near ge of the limestone led

Behind them, standing boulders overlooking the valley b were dozens of members of a ch

Cave City Mr and Mrs Collins liste

of "Nearer My God to Thee," drif the hill as the service opened The aged father g rd the mouth of Sand Ca et away, as the word ike the wanderer the sun gone d

tering canopy yawn gazed. Rev. Roy H of a neighboring community, climbed to a stump to open the scriptural service and a motion picture camera started to whir. At the outer fr the group stood a sentinel with his rifle. Huge rock were th benches of the outdoor chape

Men who had spent days in t

heir heads in the chilling breeze. The little gathering of 150 men and w ard Rev Biser tell them they

hanks "for the brotherhood of

risked their lives on this site."

Mental comfort for the Collins family was besought and then Mrs. Ira D. Weathers of Cave City sang

Newspaper telephones, but recently installed all over the hillside, rang unanswered from various tree sta A soft wind rushed the dried or wa leaves and carried the song off down

ry of Floyd Collin tion even from day to day Rev Biser referred to as paralle ing the romance of mankind self No other event within memory he said, has brought many prayers from the hood of man for one f ped undergro

J. F. Van Cleve n a voice so low that the trickle of water down an opposite hillside only emphasized the solemnity of the occasion. Faint clicks from camera were audible as Van Cleve told softly how men emerging from the shaft had dropped dead on t night after night

The remainder was short, Rev. C K. Dickey of Horse Cave, conducted the committal and A. F. Pearson, undertaker, a piece of ash, a tiny fluttering fern and a bit of earth ne mitted to his

SUSPENDERS DISAPPEARING

CHICAGO, Ill., February 18.—(By A. P.)—Red suspenders have disappeared except when worn by the vau Frank Carney s' and ers' Association, told the members in convention here yesterday Now, Mr. Carney said, you can't tell the country youngsters from the big city youth—both are suspenderless.

The college youth and not the Prince of Wales is th biter of young men' country, H. I. Gelvin, Champaign, Ill.

Representatives Want More Pay

WASHINGTON, February 18.—(By A. P.)—Salaries of representatives and senators would be increased to $10,000 a year under a bill approved yesterday by the senate appropriation committee. Salaries of the vice president, the speaker and each cabinet member under the bill would be $15, a year.

you are looking for a home for read the Classified Column

ROBT. L. OWENS FOR CONSTABLE

In this issue we publish nouncement of Robert L. Owens who aspires to the office of Constable Benton township subject to the decision of the voters in the Democratic primary election when called

If nominated and elected to this office it will not be a new experience for Mr Owens as he served the township in that capacity for fou from 191 to 1922

Judge Rules On "Hip Pocket Drinks"

the Federal life of the United States District

when he was hip pocket flask, stricken from the records and the defendant dismissed

"The defendant at the most was guilty of disorderly conduct," Judge Cochran ruled. Such cases should be prosecuted in the Municipal Court and not brought into the federal building

LONDON ... CONFERENCE

Conversation Has Not Yet Reached Point Of An Exchange of Formal Notes.

LONDON, February 18.—(By A. P.)—A news armament conference hich President Coolidge would summon has been mentioned here "in co

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SHINGTON, I

the conversa- ed the point of

tion had no to exchan

s taken an extension of the Washington naval treaty so as to include a limitation of the auxiliary well as the capital ships.

UNIVERSITY HEAD DIES

Dr. Marion Leroy Burton Succumbs Early Today.

ANN AR Mich February 1 Dr. Marion Leroy of the University n, died here early today end of a long which Dr. Burton rallied the ill effects on of disease lated from an eve n November when he an choo to in-

psed following his appear n the platform and physician announce found him su heart

aused his death

CONDITION OF KING GEORGE IS IMPROVED

Following an Influenza

George, who is sufferin s following an attack in an official issued from Buckingham P

King had a fair night he there is no change in the be general condition o

the Ki

e that the ki feverish cold and that his engagements for a few days had been cancelled,

Arbuckle to Wed Miss Doris Deane

LLY By A

irector, will marry Doris m comedian, at her home in eadow about Washing ared. Arbuckle's first wife, known on the screen as Minta Durfee, recently obtained a divorce

THREE MEN FORM NEW TRIANGLE AT FRANKFORT

One Believes He Killed Another and Rushed To Benton to Surrender to Officers.

A new kind of "eternal triangle" broke out in West Frankfort yesterday. The usual gun play was there but the woman was not. Trouble,

was originated between three men.

Late yesterday Bert Baker, a merchant of West Frankfort, came to Benton and gave himself to Dorris, stating that he had killed by the name of Bailiff minutes before in that city, and the meantime Bailiff was doing disappearing act for parts

The trouble all came about er and Constable Len went to the home of B. Frederic to

which Frederic had made of Baker However, it is said, Frederic owed

Baker and Darnell went to home of Frederic first, and being to of the transaction, went of Bailiff During their con a heated argument arose sulted in guns being drawn and eral shots exchanged between and Bailiff

Bailiff dropped to the floor

the officers beat him to it and place him under arrest.

However, further disclosed the fact that Bailiff even Bake

beat it on high, And now Bake

flicting total disability or making a subject for the undertaker.

A warrant was sworn Frederic.

NEW EQUIPMENT CLERK'S OFFICE

The new equipment for the vaults of the County Clerk and Circuit Clerks offices have been shipped and will soon be installed. A part of the

already been received. When installed room will be made for a few years ory of filing for each office, and will utilize all the dead space now in those offices. This is certainly a needed improvement and should have been installed long ago.

BENTON PYTHIAN SISTERS AT LOGAN

Twenty two members of Benton

meeting of Logan Temple last night. Mrs. Nel Robinson installed the

tiated eight candidates

At the close of lodge lunch was served. The Benton ladies report a fine trip. A special invitation is extended bers of Benton Temple to be at the regular meeting to-

Red Cross Seal Treasurer Reports

ber of scho not heard from. Benton schools and mail

Frankfort, $102.50; Orient, $56; Sand City school, $19.50, Manion school, $5.50.

ILLINOIS— Unsettled tonight and Thursday; probably some in north portion; warmer

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...SMEN DIE OF ...MUNICATION IN HARTFORD JAIL

... girl, were ... jail when ... night fire The ... which was ... and Louis ... and fo ... the smoke in ... cell ... found by ... which was closed ... door for heating the prisoners were kept ... the adjoining room ... but as there was ... e to escape from ... room door after entering ... Lee, Sr. for ... would relieve the farmers ... robbing of the pro ... which have ... months of ... the last ... readers ... Mrs. Lena ... W. Dean ... Hem ... Through ... Mr. H. Hess of ... Mrs. Ch ... Mrs. J. Pet ... Barber of Bettle ... of this Hotel ... of ... Lock on Your Rent time ... d days of the ... of ... their wives ... bers ... ing form ... Acid In Stomach Sours the Food

BUILDING COACH

Attractive New Five Passenger Car Being Displayed First Time at Auto Show

An attractive new Coach has been added to Dodge Brothers line of passenger cars and is on display for the first time at the New York automobile show.

"Characteristically Dodge Brothers," is the comment most frequently made by persons examining it.

Careful regard for quality as well as beauty is evident in every detail of construction and appointment.

The essential lines are set off to advantage by the bumper finish in Dodge Brothers blue with a body stripe of contrasting yellow. Shroud and cowl are black and the artillery wheels are blue. Doors and vestibule are generously large, affording a clear vision on all sides and permitting passengers to enter and leave the car with the greatest ease. Each of the two doors is equipped with a polished handle on the outside, greatly simplifying the closing. The car is belted with ample room on the right door.

Two front seats tilt forward, adding further to the convenience of occupants. The rear seat is spacious and comfortable, affording ample room for three adults. The upholstery is dark brown attractive and of excellent wearing qualities.

The equipment also includes a vanity case in the forward section and ...

...self-... fused visor...

Equipped with balloon tires and a serviceable sedan, and built on Dodge Brothers standard chassis, it rides smoothly and comfortably over any ...

There is every reason to believe ... Dodge Brothers Coach will quickly reach exceptional ... demand for the ... difficult to believe that this ... could be sold for $1,095 f. o. b. ... Detroit," he said. "But that is the price ... and I am certain the public will ... Dodge Brothers ...

PANA WOMAN DIES TETANUS

PANA, Ill., February 18.—(By A. P.)—As a result of crushing her finger ... on a ... February 4 last, Mrs. J. O. Harding, 8... of New Lucas wood ... here died yesterday of tetanus ...

Ginley; 20 organ.
WGN, Buffalo—7 16 operettas, gold-harmonic concert, 10 dance.
WLS, Chicago—6:30 organ; 7:50 blind playing, 8 farm program; 9 opera star, Sandler feature, 9:5 symphony, solo, orchestra.
WGN, Chicago Tribune—6 organ ensemble, string quintet; 8 concert, 10 dance, jazz artists.
WEBH, Chicago—7 dance, book shop lovers chatter; 9 dance, Hawaiian guitarists, readings, 11 dance, song readings.
KYW, Chicago—7 concert; 8 musical; 10 dramatic talk; 9:45-1 revue.
WEAR, Cleveland—6 music.
WLW, Cincinnati—6 concert, quintet; 8 trio, pianist, orchestra.
WHO, Des Moines—6:30 orchestra, 30 music, 9 symphonic.
WBAP, Ft. Worth—7:30 Jordan Singers, 9:30 dance.
... Kansas City—7-8 musical, ... program.
WHAS, Louisville—7:30 concert.
WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul—1 ... 10 dance, 11 30 organ.
WHN, New York 6 orchestra, 6 30 health talk.
WOO, Philadelphia—6 30 orchestra; 7 concert; 9-12 recital; 9-0 orchestra.
WSAQ, Porto Rico—8 concert ... 7:30 concert ... 8.15 drama ... 6:30 French lessons, 7 so... 7.15 orchestra, 8 musical; ... 9 program.

KANSAS WANTS BOXING BOUTS

TOPEKA, Kan., February 18.—(By A. P.)—Two-round, no-decision boxing bouts might be held by patriotic and benevolent organizations under supervision of a state commission composed of the athletic director of the state university, state agricultural college and Emporia teachers' college, if a bill passed by the senate yesterday, 38 to 3, receives approval of the house. The measure is opposed by the American Legion.

If you are looking for a home for rent read the Classified Column.

Simon Christian, 22, and Velma Martin, 18, both of Royalton.
John Landis, 60, and Margaret Francis Walker, 64, both of West Frankfort.
Vernon Dillon, 21, and Willie Shockley, 18, both of West Frankfort.
Kenneth Massey 18, Mulkeytown Grace Wells, 16, Christopher.
S. L. Brock, 23, and Ether Jackson, 18, both of Du Quoin.
Jesse Peter, 21, and Effie Rodgers 21, both of Zeigler.
James Crawford, 25, and Myrtle Crawford, 22, both of Parrish.
John Wenzlowski, 21, and Annie Cherewick, 23, both of West Frankfort.
W. Hutton, 40, and Maude Duvall ... both of Benton.
W. H. Black, 26, and Bertha Simmons, 18, both of Rend.
Walter J. Jones, 24, and Lorelle Wilkinson, 18, both of DuQuoin.
Joe Mangel, 41, and Katie McEgan both of West Frankfort.
Pete Mangelotti, 21, Pershing, and Carolina, 21, Benton.
... Mae Pickrel 18, Ina ... Archie Stubblefield ... Eula Capps, 22, Ewing ...
Columbus Sims ... 26, both of West ... Andrew J. Barnsley ... , both of West Frankfort.

Demented Person Thought Responsible For Many Fires

PANA, Ill., February 18.—(By A. P.) About 200 miners were out of work today as a result of the closing yesterday of the Pulaski Coal Company mammoth mine at Tower. This is the first time operations were suspended since the opening of the mine twelve years ago.

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Agricultural Activities

Another link in the chain of efforts to rid Illinois livestock of tuberculosis was forged recently when the members of the Quincy Co-operative Milk Producers association in their annual meeting ... which stipulates that the association will handle milk from cows that T. B. free herds for Quincy creamery.

Word comes to the ... ty farm bureau, from the dairy ... states the resolution passed by the Quincy dairymen represented 10 herd. It provides that "the board of directors of that co-operative be instructed and directed to amend the constitution and by-laws to read that no ...

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ARTIN ENTER
NOR OF MOTHER

enjoyable affairs luncheon given on Tuesday at ty Club, complimentary to her mother, Mrs. Andy Martin, it being

the Washington season, fancy caps and favors, carrying out the idea. Plates were laid for twenty gue. A large birthday cake formed the center piece. Toasts were given, which caused much merriment. They were responded to by the honoree, who a loving tribute to the daugh ms responsible for the

who helps in a great way to make these parties a success. After a most delightful luncheon the guests repaired to the living room and spent the remainder of the afternoon in conversation, sewing and cards.

A. R. C. CLUB TO
MEET THURSDAY

The members of the A. R. C. Club will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the M. E. Church. Each member is urged to be present at the final plans for the circus are to be completed at this meeting. Each girl is asked to bring any material available for posters, and also a report for her part of the entertainment. Those entering the minstrel or band are asked to bring music and instruments of

The certificates of awards in the J. H. Smeeton once a year daily bible reading course will b he have read the Bi through dur- ar at prayer meeting church this evening titled to the cert ficates are urged to be prese

Judge W Joe Hill of the Benton City Court will go to Herrin Saturday where he will pass upon a number of naturalization in the absence of Judge Bowen

Fel x Dillon of West Frankfort was a business visitor in Benton yesterday afternoon

of Sesser is spend with Mr and Mrs.

Baby chicks and hatching , true to type, White Rocks,

John L. Laird, Mt. Vernon. 36t6

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bush n sale at Hudelson's Feed 33t1

Fred Frazier of St. Louis is spending the week with his uncle, Noble M Weaver

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bush , on sale at Hudelson's Feed 33t1

Mrs. R. E. Smith is spending a few days with her sister, and family in Sesser.

of East St. Louis were guests of Mr and Mrs. W H. Hart yesterday

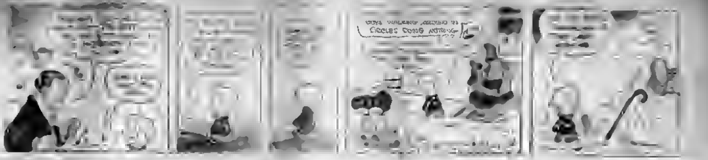
John Drabish of West Frankfort mitted to the Moore hospital

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Wardland Dairy, phone

Mrs. Bert Casteel and Mrs. Ed Bundy of Thompsonville were visitors in Benton yesterday.

IS YOUR MONEY EARNING ENOUGH.

We will loan your money on good 7 per cent time loans, with premium to you and we on loans for you. If write to us.—Dorris Real



OVER TOP IN LEGION DRIVE AT PARIS, ILL.

Post of That City Raises Quota of $2,000 For Endowment Fund

Ill., February 18.—Paris today, for the American Legion's endowment fund for disabled veterans of the World War and war orphans

Fixing its own quota of $2000, which was in excess of the amount expected of it by the department of Illinois, Paris Post, Number 211, of the American Legion is the first post in Illinois to go over the top in the Legion's campaign.

rmined to furnish an inspiration for other posts, the Paris members of the Legion under the leadership of U. Rae Colson, commander, got together and decided not to wait until the Illinois movement got under way

First every member of the Legion made a pledge. The American Legion Auxiliary was appealed to and then person in the community who ed to take part in the Legion project, was given the opportunit It was hard work, according to Commander Olson, but worth the effort

On reaching its objective, the post commander sent the following message to James A Drain, national commander of the Legion.

"Paris Post, Number 211, located at Paris, Illinois, the Paris of America with every Legionnaire and members of the American Legion Auxiliary together with the citizens subscribing has gone over the top with its quota for the American Legion endowment fund

national commander that we have gone through and reached our objec and trust that this will be an ration to all the rest of the posts in the United States of America. The appeal of this cause and a certified check

to work but through cheerful and appreciative of his relatives and friends. He passed away at the age of 80 years, 7 months and 11 days.

He leaves a wife, three sons and 4 daughters. Four living in Chicago, Neille, wife of Matt Du Bayer, Clem Ruppert and

ppe is spending the day in St. Louis.

NOTICE

William Scarborough and F. J Allen have opened an automobile repair shop in connection with the filling station at 701 North McLeansboro. The shop is now open for business with expert mechanics in charge of the work. Phone 761W.

Chas. Smith underwent an o tion in the local hospital this

Mrs. J. L. Knight and Mrs. Martin Chesnutt motored to Christopher this

"We Butcher The Price But Not The Quality"

SINCE JULY WE ARE PROUD TO SAY — WE HAVE SOLD SHOES IN MOST EVERY TOWN IN FRANKLIN AND WILLIAMSON COUNTIES AND MANY TOWNS IN OTHER COUNTIES WITHIN A RADIUS OF 30 TO 40 MILES.

Ask Yourself Why? Why?

Why Do People Come From Other Towns to Buy of Us? Folks—it Happens this way—

"Mrs. A." comes in ver; u icious like—she's heard about sales, sales and sales and has about concluded that sales are mostly bunk—hot air—or just extra conve ation.

However, she does know that Burkhart's have sold good shoes for over 60 years—so she comes in—looks—buy finally finds out by actual wearing the shoes they r good shoes, and are comfortable and nice looking and tainly didn't pay much—so she's pleased, and few words (you know women have very little to sa friend "Mrs. B." and she has a cousin "Mrs. D." where, and she, of course in just a few words tells "Mrs. D." what she saved by trading with

Well, you see we sell one pair and the SHOES themselves sell Us 3 or 4 pairs MORE. And we Grow, Grow and Grow!

But we're entitled to it—because we made up our mind at the start to buy GOOD SHOES—CHEAP and sell GOOD SHOES CHEAP.

And so you see—through your help, your shrewdness—in appreciating our values—we made a lasting success and we are growing bigger.

W ade closer—secure better values—buy bigger lots of shoes and offer less for them "and get 'em" —for — cash is King always—everyone needs cash—and we spend our dollars

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Specials for Thursday, Friday and Saturday

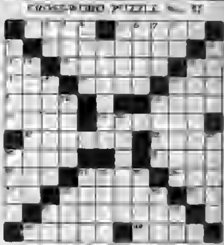
Men's $1.00 Pure Thread Silk Socks slightly imperfect but all repaired to first class condition—while they last—per pair **49c**

Men's Dress Shoes—brown calfskin leather with Goodyear welt soles and rubber heels—different style toes and last—dress shoes that will sell from $6.00 up—For 3 days your choice **$2.89**

Ladies' and Girls' Silk and Wool Hose— **90c**

Slippers and Oxfords— rtment—good styles in straps and oxfords—high and low heels—not Shoes, but good shoes that sell for to $7.00—3 prices for 3 days

HOW TO SOLVE



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k dealer, ather, barber, hotel keeper, realtor and banker, coal dealer, insurance men and farmer miner, merchant and farmer, hay

ter, editor, doctor and one wh

In addition to the nineteen attorneys in the senate, there are four farmers, three manufacturer merchants, two bankers, two druggists, two insurance men and two who are retired.

Occupations which are represented by only one representative are accountant, real estate contractor, cler wife, doctor, tea estate dealer

The heavy rainfall in India is caused by the monsoons or winds blowing of the year from one direction, winds from the opposite direction. The southwest monsoons blows from April to September and is surcharged with vapor from the Indian ocean. It condenses in torrents on the heights of the Ghats and forms the rivers which flow to

Where Two Rivers Meet

the two Niles, the White and the Blue, meet. The water of the one river is of a green- clear and blue, except when in flood, when it gains a chocolate brown from its alluvial burden.

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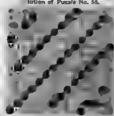

MOVEMENT LAUNCHED FOR SHORT BALLOT

Bill Would Eliminate Names

ballot in Illinois was launched in the house of representatives yesterday when bills were introduced by Minority Leader Arthur Roe of Vandalia and A. Otis Arnold of Quincy.

Both representatives would eliminate the names of presidential electors from the pri

fied to the secretary of state by the nominating conventions and the party which carried the state would be entitled to send its delegates to the elec-

Representative Roe would state, and national on separate sheets.

W. B. Phillips of Mt. troduced a bill to of providing voters.

Classified Ads

Tractor rug for quick sale. Sheriff's Office.

T—Furnished 505 N. Main. Ph

T—2 light house rooms, nicely furnished, 114 Hudelson St

FOR RENT—6-room house, modern basement, lights, heat, bat, and cold ... cation, on pav.d street.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE ... in 6-room house. Good ... 39, between 7 a. m. an

FOR SALE OR ... large or small.—See C. W. Hodge ... home all or spare time. Experience

springs, reasonable.—2 ... call 74.

2311 Hudson Hole

FOR SALE—Star touring car. A1 ... selling party leaving town. For part...

SALESMAN WANTED—One of the oldest and largest old line East... agent in this vicinity. Reference.—T

...IATORS AT SCOTT FIELD

... sessions Friday morning and ... noon. Citizens of Belleville plan

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Adapted from the famous novel

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Rich Girls' Sacrifice Upon the Altar of Love

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Coming Thursday and Friday
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...DAY IN SCHOOL

'Lives of Great men all remind us ... make our lives sublime; ... g leave behind us ... on the sands of time.'

These words which were written ... long ago by our much beloved poet, who has long since passed be... whose memory we still keep alive in our hearts, did no... think what a beautiful monument he ... leaving behind himself in the ... of the people who would fol... and even so we are treading the ... s of time each day, and leaving ... imprint on its surface.

February is being borne in upon ... minds the greatness of some who ... traveled through the pages of past history, and who are still remembered as the great men of America.

Our much loved and great George Washington. "The Father of Our ... d loved and known by ... most in the United ... our great Abraham ... close to us ... he was one of our own great ... tesmen of Illinois. Yet what a simple life he led and what a model he is to place before our school boys and girls of Benton. His only thought was always for the right ... kind-hearted, patient and loving ... all his dealings with either man or beast.

He never could bear to see any...

... to aught but free the slaves who he knew were being so cruelly mistreated.

Now, as never before the life of ... in our children through the pictures ...

In a few more ... birthday of our great George Wash...

We hope the children all over the ... will be impressed by the great... of these two men in a way that ... in the love of ... the laws which our ... thi and died for and

... which we all hope and want our children to possess, then let us all strive ... impressing this upon our ... nds, and I am sure it

SUPREME COURT MAKES RULING ON NEW LAWS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 18.—

... by the governor after July 1, are effective the moment they are signed ... Supreme court held in an opin... handed in the case seeking inlet ... f the new school distribu... law ... bills signed by the governor before July 1 become effective July 1. The

July 2, 1923. Louis Morgan, county superintendent of schools of DuPage

... effect at the same ... and that as a matter of fact the law did not become effective until after July 1. The court in its decision held that such a law would become effective at once. The decision was considered important as it establishes a precedent for all laws ... July 1. Since the budget ... the law will ha... effect on the school funds. The oppo... ms of the laws how... ever, held up distribution of the 600,000 state school distributive fund, pending a decision.

The tightest man in the world ... who shot off a pistol ... his house on Christmas ev... then came in and told the children that Santa Claus had committed suicide.—

URBANA, Ill., Feb. 18.—(By A. P.)—Spectators will get their annual ...

... rds should be set when the eight re... lay races, always the chief attractions ... be run off in the eighth annual relay carnival in the huge Armory here on Saturday night, February 23. There is nothing more exciting than a close relay race and competition is always keen in the Illinois classic.

Georgetown and Pennsylvania will both enter one and two mile teams, and Pennsylvania's carnival record of ... eclipsed. The Georgetown quartet holds the world's record of 7:44 in the two mile relay and claims the fastest mile squad in the East. Springfield, Mass., Y. M. C. A. college is coming to dispute that claim.

The easterners will be strongly challenged by middle-western teams. Wisconsin is sacrificing hopes in the ... miles and four mile races to stake everything on the two mile. Since the Badgers have a strong squad of half milers. Northwestern and Michigan, both with three veterans of last years winning combinations, as well as Notre Dame and the Kansas Aggies will send strong teams for the two mile.

Illinois is favorite for the four mile with Captain Michel and Makeever, both winners in conference meets as ... The Illini have the making ...

... eastern quartets in the short ...

The college relays are arousing increased interest since two new marks in the three races were set last year and the record holders will enter again. Carleton which holds the two-mile record, will try for all three banners, and Cornell has three veterans last year. Wabash will defend its m... ley record. Coe, Western State Normal, Kalamazoo, Mich., Bradley Tech, Armour Tech., and the College of the City of Detroit will be represented.

Upwards of 20 high schools, mostly ...

... keeping with George Washington's birthday will be presented.

... music both vocal and instrumental. The following speakers have been secured to present the interesting phases of the life of the father of our country:

"George Washington: the Man," by Mr. Moses Pulverman.

"George Washington: The Soldier and Patriot" by M. M. Hart.

"George Washington: The Citizen," by Judge T. J. Layman.

The addresses will each be fifteen ...

The nation has no other bulwark of strength and defense like the church. A big crowd will attend this service. Every ... obligated to be elsewhe...

MEN—

LOOK! READ!

Just to see how many people read the paper and had rather stumble over a big rock rather than move it and pick up a One Dollar Bill ($1.00) we are going ...

will continue after these three days to sell for $4.95—
For 3 days only **$3.85**

... **49c**

Men's $1.50 Comfy Style House Slippers in wool —not cotton felt— now ... **89c**

Ladies' felt Comfy Style House Slippers—quilted satin—felt and satin trimmed—values to $2.00 for 3 days grand clean-up sale— per pair **89c**

Children's Indian Leather Moccasin House Slippers ... up sale— per pair **39c**

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Take a pleasant spoonful of Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup after the next two meals. In less than ... way you feel. Contains pure vegetable ingredients approved by physicians. Helps nature cleanse and tone your liver—strengthen your digestive organs—soothe the tired and overtaxed nerves, brace up your system and purify your blood. It has helped thousands feel return of strength, vigor and energy again. You, too, must be satisfied, or no cost.

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For healthful complexions ...

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Announcement!

Benton Evening News

BENTON, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1925

LADIES NIGHT AT LIONS CLUB BIG AFFAIR

Mrs. Will Keigley.

Last night was ladies night at the Lions Club, and about fifty-eight members and their wives enjoyed a special program and banquet at the Country Club

Friday being the twenty-fifth [illegible] ding anniversary of Mr and Mrs. Will Kiegley prominent members of the Lions Club, a special program and dinner was arranged in their honor

The delightful dinner was followed by an enjoyable program, Prof. C. C. Hanna, acting as toast master

The high school quartet, sang several verses of the famous "How Do You Do" song at various intervals through the program. The song was directed at various members and persons present, and added quite a novelty feature to the program

Immediately after the dinner, the toastmaster introduced Judge R. Hickman as speaker of the evening. The judge arose and in his usual interesting manner, addressed a few introductory remarks to the toastmaster, thanking him for the honor thus bestowed upon him, then, skilfully commanding his very effective flow of eloquence the judge proceeded to eulogize the persons in whose honor the banquet was being given. The romantic feature of Judge Hickmans speech being the fact he had performed the marriage ceremony for Mr. and Mrs. Kiegley, twenty-five years ago, while he was a justice of the peace of Franklin county.

At the conclusion of his most interesting talk, the judge presented Mrs. Kiegley with twenty-five Amer[illegible]

Mr Kiegleys response to the judge's remarks was done in his usual jovial manner, in which he told of his courtship, and why he and his bride came to Benton to be married

Retiring to the club room after dinner the guests were entertained by the High School quartet, and two vocal solos by Mrs. R. E. Riggle who was accompanied on the piano by Miss Margie Burkhart

As guests of honor with Mr. and Mrs. Kiegley was their son, Lyle, and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Ray Cook of DuQuoin.

First Round of Southern Illinois Debate Feb. 24th

The first round of the Southern Illinois debate will be held on February 24. The question for debate this year is: "Resolved that the Phillipine Islands Should be Given Their Independence in Two Years."

Twenty high schools of Southern Illinois will be debating this question at the same time.

The schools are arranged by triangles. One school must win on both the negative and affirmative side in order to remain in the competition.

Benton, Eldorado and West Frankfort are in this triangle. The local debate will be held in the high school auditorium at 7:30 Tuesday, February 24 Benton affirmative team will meet Eldorado team at Benton, while the Benton negative team will meet the West Frankfort affirmative team at West Frankfort.

Benton will be represented on the affirmative by William Esvaldi, Durward Martin and Martha Layman, with Omer Upchurch as alternate.

The negative team is composed of John McCartney, Walter Ewing and [illegible] Neal, with Lela Morris as [alternate].

Miss Byna Hargrave is in charge [of] the debating teams. She has de[veloped] her teams to a high point of [illegible]

[illegible] for admission to the [illegible] will be 25c.

[illegible] Department of [illegible] furnish some music [for] the occasion.

[illegible] J. H. Lewis, and [illegible] Mrs. Kenneth

SHERIFF TAKES SIX PRISONERS TO PONTIAC

County Judge Ward and Sheriff Have Eventful Trip to Reformatory.

Sheriff Henry Dorris returned to this city last night from Pontiac, where he had been to deliver six prisoners to the authorities of the [institution].

Sheriff Dorris and County Judge Ward started Tuesday morning in the judge's car, taking with them Fred Goddard, Louis Burns, Randall Porter, James Sample, Raymond Walker and Marion Johnston

The six young men were convicted at the last term of court and sentenced to serve various terms in the state reformatory at Pontiac. Goddard and Burns were sent up for stealing auto parts and bolts, Porter and Sample, for stealing an automobile and Walker and Johnston are doing time for holding up a Filling station on St. Louis street in West Frankfort.

On the trip up the Judge and sheriff were burning up considerable gas in the neighborhood of Pana and burned out a bearing in the judge's car and were forced to remain over night in Pana, and make the remainder of the trip on the train, while the car was being repaired

After delivering the prisoners to the authorities at the reformatory the officers returned to Pana, secured the repaired car, and drove to St. Louis where Judge Ward remained to look after some business in the federal court today, the sheriff coming on to Benton on the train

OTHERS MAY FORGET BUT GEORGE CAN'T

In these days of strife, hustle and excitement, the little incidents that [illegible] the streets, and for a time command the attention of the public, are soon forgotten

Everyone perhaps remembers a few mornings ago, when Policeman Jim Murdel's Ford car was seen setting upon the side walk, with three bullet holes through it. And every one remembers the story of how officer Jim had seen the thieves as they were a tempting to make away with h[is car] and in an effort to stop them shot throught the car, as the thieves jumped out and ran. Everyone remembers the incident, of course, but few persons have given it a thought, since a few hours after it happened. There is [one] person however who has not forgotten the occurrence, and who is repeatedly reminded of it each morning as he enters his place of business.

The person is George Hale who conducts a jewelry store on the east side of the square. It so happened that the jewelry store was in direct line of one of the bullets fired by the officer when attempting to stop the car thieves One of the bullets entered the plate glass front of the store, tore a hole through the back glass in the window, crossed the room and demolished a glass cabinet against the [illegible] wall. George has sized up the [illegible] n and has figured out, that had [th]e thing happened in the day time, and he had been standing where he usually stands, the bullet passing through as it did, would have undoubtedly pierced him squarely between the eyes, and in all probability he would now be playing on the golden harp. George is not a pessimist but he just says, "Supposing it had have happened some other time"

It didn't happen some other time however, and as it is now, he only has a few broken glasses to worry [about].

[illegible]

Matt

COURT DOCKET BEING REDUCED VERY RAPIDLY

One Hundred Seventy Cases Are Disposed Of During the Past Three Weeks.

The wheels of justice are running on high speed in Circuit Court with Judge J. E. Eagleton at the wheel.

During the last three days he has taken fifty cases off the docket, and [since] the February term which convened the first Monday in February, he has taken off the docket the following number of cases

Criminal, 62, Appeal, 23; Law, 46, and Chancery, 59, making a total of 170 cases disposed of in three weeks of court.

In the case of H. A. Toncannon vs J. A. Lewis and H. H. Lewis, judgment was rendered for $1900 in favor of the plaintiff

In the case of W. E. Annear vs Zeigler Coal Company, assumpsit, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $48. This case was over a disagreement of the amount due the plaintiff for labor performed for defendant.

BELIEVES AMERICA FIRST CIVILIZATION

Collector of Curios is Of Opinion People From Here First Settled in Asia.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 19.—(By A. P.)—American civilization "antedates that of either Europe or [Asia] and ample proof exists for holding that belief," in the opinion of Edward W. Payne of Springfield, a noted collector of curios in the middle west, who will address the Illinois Academy of Science on "The Stone Age in the Mississippi Valley"

"Most people would have us believe that the highest civilization ever known to this continent was that of some 350,000 savages who existed here when it first was discovered by the white race," he said "The common explanation is that the progenitors of these savages came across Bering Strait from Asia and that the Indians were their descendants.

"The fact is that people from this continent went from here to Asia I base this opinion that America was

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LEONARD ROSS FINDS STOLEN AUTOMOBILE

Discovered in Old Barn in West City; Was Owned By West Frankfort Man

Leonard Ross, 10-year-old son of Dan Ross of the Evening News force was instrumental yesterday in recovering a Ford car which had been stolen from a Mr Sneiderwin of West Frankfort on the night of February 15th

While out gathering up some kindling wood Ross saw the car parked in an old barn in West City, and knowing the barn had not been occupied for some time reported his find to the chief of police.

Chief Wilkerson and officer Hodge accompanied the young man to where the car was parked, and [looking] up records discovered it answered the description of a car recently stolen in West Frankfort. The Kirkpatrick Motor company had insurance on the car, and at once notified the owner.

The officers believe they have an idea who the boys are that took the [car] but so far have not sufficient evidence to warrant

Herrin Will Soon Be Center of Great Revival Meeting

ST. LOUIS RUM RUNNERS HELD UNDER BIG BOND

Officers See Bootleggers Make Delivery At Fashionable West End Homes

ST LOUIS, Feb. 19.—(By A. P.)—After making deliveries of bootleg whiskey to the homes of a number of residents of the west end here yesterday, Fred L. Loeppe and Joseph Shea were arrested by federal prohibition officers, who trailed them and later recovered several cases of whiskey from persons to whom it had been sold.

The pair were arrested while riding in an automobile, which the agents said they used in making deliveries. At the Federal building, United States Commissioner Atkins issued a warrant charging them with the sale, possession and transportation of liquor. They were released on bond of $1500 each.

It was learned that the homes at which the liquor was received included two of well known persons, whose names the authorities withheld.

STATE OFFICER HAS UNCLAIMED AUTOMOBILE

H[i]ghway [illegible] eports that he has in his possession a Ford roadster which he found yesterday afternoon, on the highway between here and West Frankfort.

Thinking that the car perhaps belonged to some one who was working nearby the officer did not bother it until this morning. It was still setting in the same position, when the officer made his usual trip over the route. The car was brought to town and taken to the officers home at 310 Buchanan street.

From all appearances it is a stolen car, he stated the ori[ginal number] having been fil[ed off] one inserted with a chisel. The number now is 252904

BENTON BASKET FIVE WINS OVER JOHNSTON CITY

The Benton high school five won their seventh straight game last night when they met and defeated the Johnston City high school basketball team after a hard fought battle on the latter's floor

The game was a thriller from start to finish, and resulted in a victory of 15 to 1[illegible] for the Benton boys. The Carbondale-Benton game will take place here Saturday night and with the reputation each team has, a wonderful game is expected.

King George is Reported Better

LONDON, February 19.—(By A. P.) [illegible] ham Palace this morning said: "His Majesty passed a better night. His progress though slow is satisfactory."

Bill to Prohibit Gambling Introduced

SPRINGFIELD Ill., [Feb.] 19.—(By A. P.)—A bill to [illegible] tickets in [illegible] ntroduced in [illegible] Ralph Hoar of [illegible] [illegible] of $300 for the first offense [and] jail sentence of from one to [five] years for the second offense.

Evangelist Plans to Start Meeting April 26 and Broadcast From Station WCBG.

CAIRO, Ill., February 19.—(By A. P.) That religion would be put to the test in Southern Illinois' coal belt [was] indicated today with the announcement by Howard S. Williams, layman-evangelist, that on April 26 he would open services in Herrin, the center of Williamson County's recent factional strife. His private outfit, station [illegible] wi[ll b]roadcast the sessions to the world, he said.

Williams is believed to be better for this task than any other evangelist because he preaches no creed and admits he is not a theologian. "But a runt of a newspaperman,' who is selling Christianity

Within two years Will[iams has] leap from publisher of [a Miss]issippi's prominent daily to the South's leading [lay evan]gelist. He is a Presbyterian layman himself, but he has a Jewish advance man and sends many converts to the Catholic church

It is through the efforts of R[ev.] John Meeker, pastor of the Pre[sby]terian church at Herrin, who preached the funeral sermon of Ora Thomas, deputy sheriff who was slain in a gun fight which also resulted in the death of S. Glenn Young, Klan liquor raider and two others, that an invitation [was] extended to the former newspaper [man].

The invitation from Rev Meeker, who is named as the only minister in Herrin who took no part in the recent turmoil there, found Williams in the midst of one of the most remarkable [ca]mpaign's Cairo has ever known [illegible] Thomas' funeral,

[illegible] he considered the layman-preacher' work very impor[tant], adding, "W[e know] that Herrin [needs a pro]gram greatly need[ed] [illegible] the need i[s]

Williams, who was a leader in the journalistic, political, civic and social [life of the] south, prior to his con[version] [illegible] Gypsy

[illegible] 17 months, all of them permanent, it is stated.

At Cairo some of the most prominent figures on the rivers, who were not Christians, have been converted. The guilty plea of Lawrence Onyett [to] a statutory charge after two trials followed his conver[sion].

"I have nothing against the bootlegger or any other sinner," Williams says, "I love them all but I hate the work they do.

The evangelist was born 48 years ago in Columbia, Tenn., and has [illegible] at Birmingham, [illegible] cted with several papers in Mexico [and] was assistant correspondent of the Associated Press at Mexico City He then was night ed tor at Atlanta, going to Hattiesburg, Miss., as a chair [mem]ber of [illegible] ty. A few months later he bought the Hattiesburg American, which he published until his conversion.

Williams then sold his paper and put his money into evangelistic equip[ment].

[or]ganized the Rotary Club, of which he was a director and being president of the Hattiesburg Country Club. For ten years he was secretary of the Mississ[ippi] [illegible]

[He] had been president of the National Young Businessmen's Organization. Williams was publicity director [of] the South while Governor James Cox was running for president and his [illegible] political committee.

Men who have observed his work at Cairo, Paducah, Mayfield, Ky., and other places express the belief that Williams can bring help in peacefully [settling the] Herrin situation, if any-

Mrs Bertha Yablanski who has been a patient in the Moore hospital [was] able to return to her home in Roy alton yesterday

FIRE ENGINE ON FIRST CALL LAST NIGHT

Department is Called After Roof Had Fallen in But Saves, Other Property.

The new fire engine was given its first real try-out last night about 11 20 o'clock when the department [was called to a] place on north Frisco street [illegible]

The house was the property of [illegible] Tate, but was not occupied at the time, the family formerly living there having moved out the morning before.

The place is surrounded by a number of other vacant houses and the fire was not discovered until the roof [had al]ready fallen in

The fire department was called but [by the] time they arrived the walls [were f]alling in, their attention however was turned to saving the adjoining property, this they very successfully [did] by placing the hose [and th]rowing the water [illegible]

The buildings were a considerable distance from a fire plug, and had it [no]t been for the new pumper, several other buildings would [in all probabi]lities have been destroyed.

INHERITANCE TAX CONDEMNED BY COOLIDGE

Speaks Before Session Of National Tax Association in Washington

[illegible] federal government from the inherit[ance] tax filed in greater economy of [illegible] public consideration by President Coolidge in an address at the opening session today of the national tax [association] [illegible] conference, national inheritance and estate [tax] [illegible]

"The Dominion [illegible] tax. the [illegible] in its highest bracket reaching forty per cent, declaring that in some instances which the state levied it "closely approaches, if it is not actually, confiscat[ion]

[It] should be pr[illegible] of [illegible] nd not under the guise of a law to collect revenue," he said

[The est]ablishment of "economy in income of revenue" is equally necessary with economy in out-going revenue, Mr. Coolidge said, adding that the first field for the practice [of this] [illegible] in the inheritance tax [illegible] operation

Mr. Coolidge declared there [illegible] Mr Coolidge declared "Competition by the states to reach in the inheritance tax not only property of its own citizens but the property of the [illegible] ns of other states

OFFICERS RAID HOME NEAR THE FAIR GROU[NDS]

Find Three Gallons of Liquor And One Arrest Was Made

Chief of Police Wilkerson, [accom]pany with patrol officers W. A. Hodge and Jim Mundell, made a raid about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon to the [home] of Chils. Harison in the north[w]est part of town near the [fair grounds] [an]d confiscated about three gallons "white mule" liquor. Harison was [arres]ted and brought to the city hall where he filed a bond before Police Magistrate Sanders, and will be given

Mrs. Be le Walker of Murphysboro is the guest of her daughter Mrs. H. E. Potter, and family for a few days.

COLLINS RESTS IN PEACE IN HIS NATURAL TOMB

A Yawning Chasm Marks the Lone Grave of Kentucky Explorer.

CAVE CITY, Ky., February [19].—(By A. P.) [illegible] tomb, Floyd Collins sleeps today in peace.

Buried alive, he endured for days the terrifying solitude, praying piteously that, somehow, he would [illegible] stand the tortures of body and spirit he died, alone, trapped in the jaws of a cavernous earth.

Realizing, perhaps, that the valiant [illegible] maybe a day or two, after death [illegible] open his sarcophagus.

No "hello" greeted them, no [answer] came from the drawn lips, [illegible] Brenner, a former miner, who [illegible] had known the horrors of Col[lins'] plight, plunged into the perilous pi[t] [illegible] ead," was his laconic [state]ment of the failure of the world Plans were made to bring out the [body] out mother earth, who had [illegible] every effort to get Collins until he was paid with his life for his exploration, clung to him.

The caverns he knew and loved so well became his crypt. With simple funeral services Tuesday, his body was resigned to the cave that would not let him go.

But above the sepulchre of that obscure unfortunate had been unfolded a news serial that gathered [illegible] try for 17 days. The climax was [reach]ed Monday with the finding of the body The epilogue was written yesterday

The booming of detonating [dyna]mite, the dull thud of huge [rocks] loosed from a centuries-old bed on the hillside, as they tumbled in and closed the new pit, was the dra[matic end]ing of the colophon of the heroic work

A few flowers strewn around the mouth of the cave, a few spectators wandering aimlessly about today replaced the mechanical equipment and the jaded workers.

CENTRALIA LANDING MORE [illegible]

Brown Shoe Co. and Ely-Walker Locating There; Will Employ Several Hundred

Centralia is spreading [illegible] when it comes to landing [fac]tories that will give employment to several hundred people. Recently the Chamber of Commerce raised several thousand dollars as an inducement for a Brown Shoe Company factory to locate there, and this week [illegible] [Wal]ker Dry Goods Company of [St.] Loui[s] and work will start on these two new factory buildings within the next few week Centralia is fortifing herself against a possible slump in business by getting enough factories of different [kinds] as well as other industries, to insure the business men that if one or more close down, there will be others [in] operation to keep the city's business channels in good shape.

ENID, OKLA., BANK ROBBED

[illegible]

[illegible] partly cloudy in north portions tonight [illegible] Not much change in [illegible]

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For Constable

The fact is that within the last decade or so helpful parental restraint of youth in this country has generally grown slack. Children are openly permitted to do things now that in the old days would have instantly brought out the old buggy whip or the hard-bottomed slipper. Too many parents have become ...kers and are letting things slide. They leave it to the children; but the children have never distinguished themselves at self-government. A child tends to follow its instincts. It must be led by a more experienced hand until it can walk without support, it must be governed until it develops self-control. Early parental abdication is worse than a mistake—

There are always a lot of near-sighted or blind optimists who ... ready to pop up and say something flat and banal like, "The present generation of youth is as fine and clean as any that ever preceded them;" or worse, "Boys and girls of today are better, smarter, more efficient and more moral than in any ..."

Such people get their impressions from inside of themselves. Facts from without make no impression on their happy, confiding, easy-going hearts. Vassar girls the other day asked for a regular place in their college to smoke in. A referendum ...wed that nearly half of them ...moked, and more than 300 said they had their parents' approval. To that ... optimists would probably smi... and ask, "Why shouldn't ..." And there would be no use in trying to answer the...

But what will they say about the recent report of the Presbyterian Board of Christian Education, based ... records of the public prosecutor of Marion county Indiana? This county contains the city of Indianapolis, is pretty near the center of the whole country, and may be taken ... representative of the whole country. It was found that between 1913 and 1923 the average age in burglary cases fell from 29 to 21; in robbery cases from 28 to 21; in wife desertion from 34 to 26; in criminal assault from 33 to 27 and in murder from 32 to 26. In six chief classes of serious criminals the average age of the offenders fell from 31 to 24. Remember, this is the "average" age, and it has been lowered by an abnormal increase in criminality among the young. The figures don't say, but it is presumable that the older criminals held their own in the ag...

Judge Lindsey of the Denver juvenile cour... startling revelations ... claims is going on generally in our high-schools. But the most striking part of his story was the skeptical attitude of the teachers, preacher and other people of the highest standing ... community. They refuse to believe him. When one ...chool principal learned, through accident of the moral delinquency of a girl pupil he was shocked to the point of cruelty. In his fury he expelled her and branded her as a moral leper. But the judge declares that this girl was no worse than ...

We shall never find the right road by traveling with our eyes closed, or by refusing to believe the signs when we read them. Just look at any large newstand and see the dozens of indecent magazines with their brazen, glaring sex appeal. Who is buying, reading and supporting those magazines? The sober family men and women? Not much.

Those who fatuously pronounce "everything all right" should pull their heads out of the sand and join the rest of us in trying to make parents realize and do their duty. There is the center of the sore spot. Pope was right when he said, "Just as the twig is bent the tree's inclined;" and Solomon knew what he was talking about when he declared: "Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old he will not depart from ..."

We know it is easy to "preach," and we also know that it is a very popular theory that children, and everyone else, should be allowed to follow all their cravings, and not be restrained or "suppressed" in any way. That is a very plausible doctrine—borrowed from the anarchists of Russia. The idea is that if you forbid people anything they at once want to go and do that very thing. This is one of those dangerous half-truths which the devil is always using for his own purposes.

It is a strange thing that parents will keep physical poison away from their children, but when it comes to moral poison many of them will not lift a hand to protect their nearest and dearest from it. It is true that the human race is going to survive this frightful plague of moral anarchy that now afflicts it—but it will only be after untold hosts of innocents have been sacrificed. The menace is most difficult to deal with, and human wisdom is scarcely equal to the ...

Probably the best that parents can do is to labor watchfully to keep the confidence of their children and have no secrets between them. Light and air are nature's disinfectants. Let the parents devote themselves to their children, especially at the critical periods, and make their welfare the great object in life—not "spoil" them, but cultivate real understanding and companionship. If there is a holier and nobler spectacle in all the world than that of a parent and child who stand together on this firm rock of faith and honesty, facing the dangers and the pleasures of life with frankness and mutual love, we do not know of it.

The present is a most critical, yes tragic, period for parents and children alike. Even though all may do their very utmost there will be some failures. Scarcely any two children are alike and what will succeed with one may be the wrong thing with another. But surely about most things the parents do know what is best, and they must have the courage to stand fast for the right.

Even with wheat at $2 a bushel or above, it is still too low as gaged by other prices. A century ago the rule was that a bushel of wheat would buy a day's labor—and a day's labor meant half again as many hours of work then as now. It takes from two to six bushels of wheat to buy a day's labor now; so wheat can keep on going up for quite a while yet without becoming exorbitant. Let her climb; high wheat prices, mean high prices for other products, and this stimulates prosperity for all.

PARENTS AS SLACKERS

(From The Pathfinder)

The murder of her mother by a California flapper horrified the whole ...try, but the case may well serve as a helpful object lesson. The crime resulted when the mother objected to the wild night ... old daughter indulged in. The trouble was that the mother tried to put out ... fire after it had gained too great ...away. She might have succeeded ...she had started on the task several ...ars ago.

...we have pointed out before, ... are largely responsible for ... waywardness and lack of re... so common now among boys and girls. Mark thi... ...a school girl frequenting the ...or vacant lots, or the movies, ...resorts late in the evening, ...proper supervision, you may ...that some mother, or father, ...and negligent. Such par... a reproof.

THE SILVER LINING

The Methodist Church as an institution has never been given to boasting or blowing her own horn, but as it is generally the habit of Kingdom workers to linger around the discouraging features of their labors let us for once see the silver lining.

The First Methodist church of this community has every reason for rejoicing in the Lord for He has done marvelous things for us all along the way. There is every warrant for our encouragement and happy continuance in well doing. Let us just drop this fact that there has been an increase in the Sunday School attendance of more than 60 per cent in recent weeks. The growth and interest in other departments of the church work during that time is correspondingly gratifying. So let us all hearten up a bit and set our faces toward the goal that is farther on, as there is "yet very much land to be possessed" and as victory only means that there are other conquests ahead. Thus we have our great commission and our marching orders. Let us go on from victory to victory in the name of our Lord.

Just this word about our Sunday evening services for this coming Sunday will no doubt be timely. The program to be given will be in the form of a Patriotic Song in which some eight or ten patriotic hymns will be used and a brief history of the hymn and the author will be given. There will be other special music both in...

This is a Washington birthday anniversary service and will be a very happy occasion. A service in which all patriotic citizens will wish to participate. The hymns thus selected will be for the most part sung by the congre... togeth...

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Valier Coal Co. to J. H. Cockrum, warranty deed, $143.74, lot 5 block 7, fourth add to Valier.

Zeigler Coal Co. to Wm. Lukoses, warranty deed, $225, lot 1 block Zeigler Coal Co. ninth addition to Zeigler.

Valier Coal Co. to Frank Fesk, warranty deed, $106.92, lot 5 block 3, seventh addition to Valier.

West Frankfort Building and Loan Association to Matt McPhail, warranty deed, lot 15 block 1, J. L. Smith's sub-division to West Frankfort.

Mary E. Whittington, now Summers, to Noah E. Gifford, warranty deed, $900, E½ S½ SE NE 8...

Elizabeth Savant and husband to Monroe McMillian, warranty deed, $2000, lot block 14, original Valier.

Rose Dillon and husband to Daisy House, ... 1, 2 and ... block 2, Wa... addition to West Frankfort.

Claude Hurley to D. C. Jones and C. L. Hicks, warranty deed, $2000, lot 3 block 9, Stotlar & Jones' addition to West Frankfort.

Monroe McMillian to Elizabeth Savant, warranty deed, $2500, part NW SE 7-6-2.

Martha Yokubatis to Bessie Benzin, warranty deed, $500, lot 6 block A, L. Coleman's first addition to West Frankfort.

W. C. Tony and w... to Roy Reeves, warranty deed, $100, lot 3, block 8, Biby's addition to Christopher.

H. E. Holthcoat and wi... to Joe Bini, warranty deed, ...50, lot 3 block B, T. B. Parkhill sub-division, SW NW 30-6-2.

Bell & Zoller Mining Co. to Herman Engle, warranty deed, $1050, ... addition to Chri...

Crawford Flatt and wi... est H. Greve, warranty d... N½ NE 16-6-2.

Wm. Shoemaker to Theodore Craig, quit claim deed, $200, lot 2 block 2, J. L. Smith's sub-di... Frankfort.

Felix Dillon to Mike Zupancich, warranty deed, $400, lot 6 block 4, Felix Dillon's fourth sub-division, SW SE 13-7-...

Frank Easley, Admr., to C. H. Miller, Admr. deed, $750, SE SE 15-5-2 and NE NE 22-5-2.

F. J. Allen and wife to W. C. Isaacs, warranty deed, $1.00, SW NE 8...

S. W. Bain and wife to Elsie Garrison, warranty deed, $8400, T. A. Sinks' addition to West Frankfort.

Martha Hurst to Clarence Connor, warranty deed, $1.00, N½ SE SE 28-5-2.

D. C. Jones to Ellen E. Burbridge, warranty deed, $350, lot 10 block 8, ...

$350, lot 10 block 8, Stotlar & Jones' addition to West Frankfort.

Joe Margheris to Rosie Margheris, ...

Mary Todor to Anna Kovach warranty deed, $1000, lots 5-6-7-8-9 10 in block 12, Horn & Dimond's second addition to Christopher.

J. F. Provart to J. E. ..., warranty deed, $4500. lot ... block 11, original plat of Sesser.

Today's Radio Program

WSB, Atlanta—8 chorus; 10:45 organ.
WGR, Buffalo—7 concert; 8 concert.
WLS, Chicago—6:30 organ, artis 7 lullaby; 7:20 operetta.
Chicago Tribune—6 orga... ensemble, string quintet, 8 ... prano, speaker; 10 dance, Nod and Ches
WEBH, Chicago—7 concert, Riviera theatre, 9 dance, soprano, tenor; 11 dance, ...songs...
KYW, Chicago—7, concert; 8 literary talk; 8:20 musical; 10-11:30 at home
WMAQ, Chicago—6 organ; 6:25 orchestra, 8 announced; 8:15 Boy Scouts, 8:50 lecture, 9:15 ...
WLW, Cincinnati—6 concert; 7 jubilee, dance, hand saw address 10:03 quartet dance, 11 Melody ...
WEAF, Cleveland—6 music; 7 ...
WFAA, Dallas—8:30 recit... tertainment, 11 orchestra
WOC, Davenport—7 Sandman, 9 ...
9 dance; 10:30 News orchestra
WBAP, Ft. Worth ... musical 9:30
...S, Louisville—7:30 concert
WMC, Memphis—8:30 musical ...rk 6 services,
KGO, Oakland—6 ...ncert; 10 address Olga Petrova, musical ... soloists.
WOAW, Omaha—6 story, ...nounced, 6:45 orchestra,
...baritone; 7:15 organ, instrumental
songs, 10:45 orchestra.

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Granger Rough Cut

NEW HEIR AT SMITH HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Laso Smith are the parents of a baby girl born this morning. They have named the young lady Marie Louise.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET WITH MRS. YOUNG

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Roger Young, 30[illegible] West 5th street, Friday afternoon, at 2:30. Every member is urged [illegible]ent.

ANNUAL REGIONAL LIBRARY CONFERENCE TOMORROW

The tenth annual Regional Library Conference, of this district under the direction of Miss Anna May Price, superintendent of the Extension Division, will be held in the Library on the second floor of t[illegible] ing tomorrow

[illegible] White Leg[illegible] post paid.— [illegible]t. Vernon. 38t6

[illegible] of West [illegible]noon in Ben[illegible]

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bushel bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store. 38tf

Mr and Mrs. Dennis Witty of West [illegible]rt were guests of friends [illegible]

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bushel bags on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store. 38tf

[illegible]n returned this morning from a business trip to Miami Florida.

Fancy Salad Bowls, special for Friday and Saturday only 29c, at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Miss Bable Ewing of Thompsonville was a business visitor in Benton yesterday

John Drabah of West Frankfort was admitted to the Moore hospital yesterda[illegible]

[illegible]ames A. E. Martin, Arch Joh[illegible] Brough and Miss C[illegible] guests of Mrs. L. T. Put[illegible]pher Wednesday

Fancy Salad Bowls, special for Friday and Saturday only 2[illegible] Glassman's Variety Store [illegible]2

[illegible] O. H. Machiels returned this morning from a business trip to St. Louis.

Fancy [illegible] for 25c, Glassman' [illegible] Store. 42t2

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Baxter Hall of Marion underwent an operation in the Moore hospital this morning

Dr. H. A. Vise made a professional visit to Logan this morning.

Fancy Water Glass [illegible] at Glassman's Variety [illegible]

Clover, Timothy and Red Top seed. —Browning's Book Store. 38t2

[illegible]s and Sol Tropp are trans[illegible]g business in St. Louis today.

[illegible]ith who has been a patient [illegible] hospital, returned to his [illegible]

Don't forget to see the new Stamped Goods at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Will Kiegley motored to St. Louis this morning on business.

Dressed chicken ready to cook every Saturday. Give us your order.— Seebers. 42t2

IS YOUR MONEY EARNING ENOUGH

[illegible] will loan your money on good [illegible], 7 per cent time loans, with [illegible] cent premium to you and we [illegible] all taxes on loans for you. If [illegible] to us.—Dorris Real Corporation, Harris[illegible]

Giles Meads is off duty at the Cline-Vick Drug Co., on account of illness

Don't forget to see [illegible] riety Store

Mrs. Mae Samuels visited in Orient yesterd[illegible]

Walter [illegible]kles is quite ill at the home of Joe [illegible]oper on South Commercial street

Ruffled Curtain Scrim, special 15c yard, at Glassman's Variety Store.

Hear Ida M. Tarbell at the Baptist Church Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Admission. Adults 75c; Children 50c.

Mr and Mrs. Allen Palmer who reside on Buchanan street are the parents of a baby girl born yesterday They are going to call her Katherine

[illegible]rim, special 15c yard, at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Ward of Sesser were the guests of Attorney and Mrs R. E. Smith yesterday afternoon

New Dress Prints, special 49c yard, at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

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Miss Josephine Marma visited in West Frankfort yesterday afternoon.

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Mr and Mrs. Fred Good[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. John L. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Davis and Mrs. C. B. Hudel[illegible] motored to DuQuoin Tuesday evening and attended the lecture, "The Spirit of America," given at the High school under the auspices of the DuQuoin Woman's Club.

CAPABLE, Energetic Man needed for factory representative to handle our business in Benton. Wonderful opportunity with future for right person. Experience or capital unnecessary Write fully. Vulcan Mfg. Company, Kalamazoo, Mich. [illegible]1

The Herrin Supply Company at it again. So many people are buying their specials that they are going to run Big Special for Saturday and Monday only 25c full standard 36 inch percales for 15c yard, limit 8 yards or less to each customer. 25c Boys and girls hose in Black, Brown at 15c pair; 15c Curtain goods 36 in. wide at 9c yard; 25c Drapery, new pattern at 20c yard. 42t1

Mrs L. K. Whitcomb, Jr., nee Pauline Frier, of 1041 Pleasant Street, Oak Park, Illinois, was operated on in the West Suburban Hospital, in Oak Park, Monday, for the removal of a muscular tumor and the appendix. From a long distance call last night, her Benton friends, will be glad to learn that she is getting along nicely, and is apparently out of all[illegible]

The Herrin Supply Company's Big [illegible]

CROSSWORD PUZZLE No. [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] DENNIS OUT FOR CONSTABLE

J. R. Dennis is the latest candidate for the office of Constable of Benton township at the Democratic pri[illegible] announcement ap[illegible] issue. Mr. Dennis [illegible] from Sesser some time ago, and while a resident of that city became a member of Local Union No. 2130, U. M. W. of A. He is very popular among the miners and expects a heavy vote from that organization. If nominated and elected he will make an efficient officer.

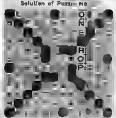
Getting Too Fat? Try This—Reduce

People who don't grow too fat are the fortunate exception. But if you find the fat accumulating or already cumbersome, you will be wise to follow this suggestion, which is endorsed by thousands of people who know. Ask your druggist for Marmola Prescription Tablets and follow directions. One dollar is the price the world over. Get them from your own druggist or send price direct to Marmola Co., General Motors Bldg., Detroit, Mich. By doing this you will be able to reduce steadily and easily and pleasantly, without starvation diet or tiresome exercise. Start taking them today and get slender.

From a Stude's Essay

A mirror is a popular subject, for there are lots of people who are always looking into it. Most mirrors are square, yet everywhere we go we see [illegible] round. Often, like a waiter, [illegible] to be tipped or it won't giv[illegible] in a mirror, yet it [illegible] reflections on our [illegible]

Solution of Puzzle No [illegible]



BELIEVES AMERICA FIRST [illegible]

(Continued from First Page)

the first civilization on the fact that relics and curios found in the Mississippi valley are all [illegible] other parts of the world, other people have some which [illegible] evidently later deve[illegible]ments, which are not found here.

"Hairpins illustrate the case The Chinese make a certain kind of hairpin from jade. Many of them [illegible] beautifully carved and molded but none give the evidences of age which hairpins of similar design, found in Arkansas show. They are made of a peculiar kind of soft stone and are unquestionably older

"Another stone found near W[illegible]chester, Ill., provides another cl[illegible] It was beautifully made and of an unusual shape but not until I had talked with an army captain who had served in the Philipp[illegible]es did I know its use. He established the fact that [illegible] interior of the islands he cam[illegible] a Philippine woman washing her children with the aid of a similar device.

"Then there is a holder for the draw strings of various kinds of bags, evidently widely used once by the first American whose history can only partially be pieced together by the relics found in [illegible] and strewn here and there [illegible] the Mississippi valley; [illegible] holders are found in [illegible] in use there today.

CANCER NOW A BIG HEALTH PROBLEM

Number of Victims of This Malady Have Tripled During the Last 20 Years.

[illegible] claring that cancer is now a health problem of the first magnitude, Dr. Isaac D. Rawlings, state health director, in a bulletin issued today, points out that the number of victims [illegible] tripled in Illi[illegible] years. From [illegible] fatali[illegible] jumped to 6666 in 1[illegible] rate per 100,000 population grew from 61 to 98 during the two decades. Similar rises in mortality from this cause [illegible]e been reported throughout the country

'Cancer has risen in 20 years from seventh or third place among the most fatal of diseases," said the bulletin.

Twenty years ago one out of every [illegible] deaths was attributed to cancer Now one out of each 12 is attributed to that cause. Any disease that demonstrates such aggressive vitality [illegible] serves special attention

Some increase in cancer mortality during the last quarter century was expected. It is essentially a disease of middle and later life, manifesting itself noticeably in people between 30 and 40 and reaching its highest fatal effects among those between 60 and 70. As childhood diseases have been controlled more and more effectively and the life span has increased, the diseases of later life logically have had greater opportunity. How much this situation has influenced cancer is questionable.

Cancer is far from a hopeless problem, however. As mortality from [illegible] has advanced, scientific knowledge concerning the disease has increased. While the exact cause of cancer is still veiled in mystery, the medical profession knows well enough its character They know that cancer itself is not inherited, that it is not communicable, that it is not in the beginning a general disease [illegible] know that early cancer is local and can be successfully removed by sur[illegible] or treated by radiation in many [illegible]

"Delay is the biggest difficulty in successfully treating cancer Once the disease becomes general in the body, the case is hopeless. Giving nature a chance to stop a cancerous growth is foolish. Trying to stop it with nostrums demonstrates a pathetic ignorance of the disease and of therapeu[illegible]

"Cancerous conditions include such [illegible] as obstinate sores, irritable warts or moles, abnormal bloody discharges and lumps or swellings in the breast. Such conditions deserve medical attention. A complete physical examination at least once yearly is the best possible means of controlling and preventing cancer as well as many other ailments."

SHANE LEAVES SMALL FORT[illegible]

CARUTHERSVILL[illegible] ary 19.—(By A. P.)—An investigation into the report that Hammie Shane, who was shot to death by officers [illegible] a gun fight in Hayti, last week, had $40,000 in securities in a safety deposit box in a St. Louis bank has been [illegible]arted by B. A. McKay, Caruthersville, attorney, the sole legatee of the estate of the slain man.

[illegible] his property to his lawyer He is said to have told the attorney that he had valuable securities hidden in St. Louis.

At the time Shane was [illegible] possessions here con[illegible] chine gun, a still and a bullet vest.

[illegible] SUSPENDED TODAY

The general depression in the coal business has caused the Franklin Coal & Coke Company's Mine No. 1, at Royalton, to close down, t[illegible] between five and six hundred miners out of work.

This mine is a very large one and the majority of the [illegible]

SEEBER'S

Cash and Carry Cheap Store

Phone us your order for dressed chickens Saturday to any of our three stores. Our chickens are dressed ready to cook. We have added a line of Ward's cakes and bread and sell it for less. We also sell other bread and rolls for less.

Leaf Lettuce, per pound..20c	Nice size Oranges, dozen..21c
Green Onions and Radishes—the large size bunch	3 pound box Crackers.....41c
Pure Jersey Milk, quart..12c	Breakfast Steel Cut Coffee 40c
Cocanut, per package. [illegible]	3 pounds good Coffee.....$1.00
Red Onions, per pound. [illegible]	3 pound can Kraut.......14c
Country Fresh Eggs.. [illegible]	3 pound can Hominy..... [illegible]
Potato Chips, large pkg [illegible]	Oats, per package.......10c
Potato Chips, small pkg. [illegible]	15 pounds Potatoes......[illegible]
3 cans Champion Baking Powder for .... [illegible]	10 pounds Sugar ..... [illegible]
	3 pounds prunes .. [illegible]
	Blue Rose Rice .... [illegible]
	Choice Dried Peaches, lb..[illegible]

We not only sell groceries cheap—but also sell fresh meats and dry goods and shoes under the same plan—cash, mine orders and country produce—means a large saving.

SEEBER'S

Classified Ads

2x12, good shape; $25 for quick sale.

FOR SALE—6 room house, same

FOR RENT—furnished rooms for

36*3

FOR RENT—5-room house, modern

LOST—1925 Illinois License plate,

...eriffs office. J. A. Lewis. 41tf

WANTED

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity in 6-room house. Good location. Call

WANTED—Quicke Meal gasolin

...rade—C. W. Hodge, Whittng

...TRADE—Farm

...anvassing Standard

Hudson Hotel

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...ticulars see Chas. Hayse at Standard Oil Company plant. Phone

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FOR SALE—household furniture. Mrs. Roy Moore. Phone 799R. 39*0

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Jack Pickford

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and

AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

MT. ZION

We are having some mixed weather at this writing, warm one day and then a short spell.

The valentine party at Mr. ...

Mr. and Mrs. John Dillon visited

Several of the young folks of this vicinity spent Sunday evening with

...sow oats.

Leonard Dillon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Clifford Overturf

...day.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hobbs spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs.

...the American Hospital at Johnston ...y at the present time.

Don't forget Saturday night and Sunday is regular meeting time at

...made a special trip to W. F. Haggards

PLEASANT HILL

Next Saturday and Sunday is our regular meeting time don't forget it.

...Benton Saturday

Asa Lampley and family called on Barney Gilbreth and wife Sunday evening.

Miss Fleta Gilbreth who has been

...sowed.

...writing with the grip.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett ...

...funeral.

Brother ... attended ... his regular appointment Saturday and Sunday at

JACKSONVILLE

By RUTH THARP

There is quite a bit of sickness in

Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy

C. E. Tharp and family have had a somewhat severe attack of La Grippe

...this writing.

After spending the past few months

Henry Wright and family spent Sunday with C. E. Tharp and family.

Twenty-one boys and girls attended the ... party given by Miss

Norval Page is on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. Harriet Drew returned to her ... week visit at the home of Miss Effie

Henry Pickle and Bill McClure were employed sawing wood Friday.

Levi Capps spent Saturday night with Frankie and Willa Miller.

Misses Lucy and Eliza Drew spent

...y evening with Miss Ruth Tharp.

Misses Ruby and Isabel Tharp spent

Walter Wallace was the Wednesday

...parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Smith.

Willie Tucker spent Thursday with

Miss Lucy Drew was absent from

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Browning spent Sunday with Ray McClure and family.

Mrs. John Denim and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Eva Stebbins and family.

Next Saturday night, Sunday and

...come!

GRESHAM

David Webber and family visited relatives near Ina. Sunday.

Roscoe Shetler and family visited Mrs. Shetler's father and mother

...day.

Next Sunday is church ... Come and hear Rev. Mitchell.

...sitors of Cuba school last Friday.

Cabbot Page and Roffie Clark, motored to Anna last Tuesday.

Bill McAssien has put an unbreakable windshield on his little flivver.

O. F. Rhine visited relatives near Benton, Sunday.

Arlie Webb and William Lipe made a business trip to Webb's Hill, Saturday.

Brady Robertson visited Webber Brothers, Sunday afternoon.

Noel Phillips and wife visited Henry Phillips and family Saturday.

Aaron Hood of Benton passed thru

Will Hays was a business caller at Clark Brothers garage Sunday morning.

NOTICE

William Scarborough and F. J. ... pair shop in connection with the ... Leansboro. The shop is now open in charge of the ... Phone 761W. 40t3

...ils making highest grade for

Winemiller, 5th grade, Irvin Winemiller, 7th. H. Mary Ramsey, 7th. A

...farm.

John Scarborough Tuesday.

...of the spring fever.

Follis this week.

Ruth, Mary and Floyd Ramsey visited their grand parents, Sunday.

John Bates visited his father at

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smith visited the latters' parents

Mr. and Mrs. W...

Sunday.

SLAPOUT

We are having some cool weather

Amos Davis is plowing for John Moore this week.

Leonard Dillon spent Saturday

Mr. Hollie Sandusky from Mt. Zion spent Sunday with Edd Britton

Ruth Dillon Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Dillon and Geneva

...of Slapout visited in Benton Saturday afternoon.

...with Monette Moore.

...kin in Slapout returned to their home in Logan.

Mr. Earl Moore, Edd Britton, Amos Davis and Homa Dillon of Slapout went to the singing at Knob Prairie Sunday

...are getting ready to do some farming

...ing and wife

Mr. Frank Buntin.

...tending High school at Thompsonvi...

Uncle Thomas Sullivan, all of Benton spent last Tuesday afternoon of last

...count of sickness.

Perry Chaplain and family took last Sunday dinner with T. J. Shepherd and wife.

Helen Hall spent last Saturday night with Nellie Howard.

Marie Chaplain spent ... night with Roxie Summers.

Mrs. Audry Neal and son, Eugene,

Bessie Williams.

Monroe Summers and wife of Benton moved here last week.

Rollie Pierce and wife have moved on the Dr. Reed property.

...are boarding some of the railroad

Paul Chaplain and wife spent last

...town-to-town and the first rural electric lines in Illinois and perhaps in

...of sending current the "far" distance

...confident of success and the two towns

Three years before this, in 1880, Elmwood, between Galesburg and Peoria became agitated with desire for electric lights and Mr. Brown, then

"unless having viewed with wonder balcony of the curve of lamps that rimmed the ...res that glared at the entrance to a Chicago hotel."

...steam plant of 100 horse-power, a 600-light alternator dynamo and ...

...ly without charge for several hun...

...extent of service in the few towns that had electric lights, and residence

...ed upon as a kind of boom-holiday at fair of no definite future or perma...

"After two or three years it ...

Stop Worst Cough

The treatment is based on the prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You

DR. KING'S ... COUGHS

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

...local and internal, and has been success...

CHICHESTER S PILLS

KROGER'S

$1.30

25c

40c

Bulk, per dozen

Lard 18c

String Beans, Avondale	18c		20c
	17c		45c
Cheese	33c	bulk, pound	20c
2 pounds	21c	Snaps	13c
for	10c	plain, pound	14c
Candy, cream mixture	24c	Navy Beans, Michigan, pound	9c
each	51c	Rice, per pound	9c

Practical Nurse Tells

...nurse, tak...

One of my daughters suffered from cramping at ... She would just bend double and

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

was recommended to her and she only had to take about two bottles, when she hardly

was run-down, weak and nervous and looked like she ... left—just a walking skeleton, no appetite and tired all the time. I gave her two bottles of Cardui. It built her up ... soon gained in weight and has been so well since. Cardui, the Woman's Tonic, has helped suffering women for over forty years. Try ... At all druggists'.

FRI. & SAT.

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Virginia Valli

Percy Marmont

Who was the great unknown? What was he? And what was his jealous...

...called upon to make a big ... out once in a thousand life ... photo drama unique, that you can't afford to miss.

Announcement!

WEAK EYES! CAMPHO-

...simple camphor, witchhazel, hyd... ...in Lavoptik eye

Benton Evening News

50 MEN TRAPPED IN COAL MINE

SUNNYSIDE CLUB TO OPEN ABOUT APRIL 1

Suspension of Middle Fork Will Not Hinder Popular Recreation Resort.

Warm, sunshiny days, the arrival of some of the earlier birds of spring, and the ever-growing feeling that spring is come," caused the Evening News to ask Mack Taylor for an exclusive interview

You're all wrong. We never said anything about the re-opening of Middle Fork Mine. In fact when you get the fever, you hardly notice such a small thing as the closing of a basic [illegible]

So different was his reply from the one invariably given when asked about the opening of the mine that we felt [illegible] is growing better and that everything would come out "jake" in the end.

[illegible] expect the club to open about the first of April," Mack opined. "The opening or closing of the mine will have nothing to do with the opening [illegible]

[illegible] forgetting of one's business worries and the enjoyment of healthful pastime as does our own Sunnyside.

The club will be conducted along the same lines as has been the custom for the past two or three seasons according to Mr Taylor. Negotiations are now being made for an efficient [illegible] and it will be the sa[illegible] Sun[illegible] the people of Franklin [illegible]

just as soon as the weather will permit, boats will be repaired and rebuilt.

[illegible] onists will offer every feature that has been known. In previous years with probably many improvements

Swimming, fishing and trap shooting will furnish the sports for the club members. A car load of fish from the state hatcheries was placed in the lake last fall, and while these will hardly be "ripe" for catching this season, there are plenty of big fellows there from the previous two years the lake was stocked that the fishing will be better than ever this year

Indications are that the membership in the club will be greater this year than has ever before been known. This is due to the fact that the club is becoming more generally known throughout the county, and that it offers an opportunity for recreation [illegible] are available only to those of [illegible]

Lake Moses, on the banks of which the club is situated, is a body of water covering more than 290 acres of ground, and is the largest artificial lake in this section of the state. While it is the property of the United States Fuel Company it is made available to the public through the memberships in the Sunnyside Club. Anyone in the [illegible] of good moral [illegible] to membership.

IMPRISONED FOR CHILD NEGLECT

[illegible] of near Bush, was [illegible] six months in jail late [illegible] being charged [illegible]

Here's Her Face

Cecile Evans' ankles are insured for $100,000. And Coles Phillips, [illegible] believes her [illegible] is equally [illegible] as one of 14 "perfect." You've seen her ankles before They are featured in advertisements.

UNCLE TOM [illegible] DEAD

Death Caused By Pneumonia After Brief Illness.

De[illegible] 6 o' [illegible] last evening claimed one of the county's oldest [illegible] respected citizens when U[illegible] succumbed to an attack of pneumonia having been ill only since Monday of this week The end [illegible] aged man was visiting his son, Edward Ken[illegible]

[illegible] born in Christian [illegible] and came to Illinois in 1888, having since that time been a resident of Benton and vicinity. He has for all the years he has lived in this community been respected and honored by all who knew him. He was 78 years of age at the time of his death

He was married to Miss Rean Tress in Hopkinsville, Ky., in 1887, one year before coming to Illinois. S[illegible] preceded him in death some thirty-one years ago, and since that time he has been making his home with his children. At the time of his death he was making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Tom Rennels in the east part of the city.

The children surviving are Edward K[illegible] assistant cashier of the Benton State Bank, Mrs. Ed Talley and [illegible] nels, all of this city [illegible] with the Christian church of Hopkinsville, Ky. early in life, and [illegible] since lived the life of a true christian.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Kendall home at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. S. E. Fisher of the First Christian church, following which interment will be made in the Masonic and Odd [illegible]

Regional Library Conference Being Held Here Today

MITCHELL TELLS COMMITTEE 'LET PEOPLE KNOW'

Says Officials Should Not Try to Delude Public About Efforts of Air Bombs.

WASHINGTON, February 20.—(By A. P.)—The bombing tests which sent to the bottom the hull of the uncompleted battle ship, Washington, off the Virginia capes became the subject of discussion before the House [illegible] craft committee today with Brig. General Mitchell the a[illegible] air chief declaring the [illegible] the test should be made public to the people "deluding our people that big ships cannot be sunk."

In a large measure the committee members were left to draw their own conclusions after comparing this statement with the report published yesterday by a special naval board which described the Washington tests and that the explosion of the big bomb against her hull only rocked the vessel. The naval report also declared the battleship remained the backbone of defense and minimized the liklihood of [illegible] craft ever becoming a paramount factor in naval war fare.

The charges of explosions alongside the Washington, General Mitchell told the committee were "too far away to have great effect." He declined to give the distance at which the charges [illegible] xploded saying it was confi[illegible]

The general predicted that if army aviation was given a chance at the battleship North Dakota, which is to be used in bombing tests during the coming summer, they will "blow it out of the water." It was also pointed out by the witness that "no real bombs were dropped from the air on the Washington and that those which were released on her deck were "sand [illegible]

GRADERS OFF FOR TOURNEY

To Meet East St. Louis or Belleville in First Game Tonight.

Benton's grade basketball team left today for Greenville where they will participate in the Grade School tournament for this district. Benton fans [illegible] quite anxious that the graders [illegible] ring home the bacon," but they are at the same time a wee bit fearful and will not be greatly disappointed if their idols drop the coveted first place honors. This feeling of apathy is occasioned by the fact that Captain Foulk is suffering an injured knee and will likely not be able to play, and another of the regulars is also ill and will not be in the lineup.

The locals, however, can be depended on to do their best as they have always done. They have gone through the season with only one defeat, this coming when they dropped a game to Marion early in the season.

Their first game tonight will be with either East St. Louis or Pocahontas, and the reports will be telephoned here to the Steigmeyer-Woolard drug store by coach Elmer Dillon immediately after the game.

photo of the beautiful Marchioness of Anglesey, sister of [illegible] Diana Manners who has been appearing on the American stage The marchioness is hunting a stage career, the[illegible]

House Approves Boost In Stipend of Members

WASHINGTON, February 20.—(By A. P.) The proposal to increase the salaries of members of Congress already passed by the Senate was approved also today by the House Unless vetoed by the President Coolidge it will become effective on March [illegible] next. Besides increasing the [illegible] of senators and representatives [illegible] 00 to $10,000 a year it pr[illegible] that the speaker of the house, th[illegible] president and Cabinet membe[illegible] to receive $15,000 instead of [illegible] a year

KING GEORGE'S CONDITION IS IMPROVING

LONDON, February 20.—(By A. P.)—A bulletin issued from the Buckingham Palace this forenoon on the condition of [illegible] less night the k[illegible] is making slow progress."

"DONK'S TROOP TO VISIT INA

Dwight Moore and his Boy S[illegible]

[illegible] Ina Baptist Church, with the vi[illegible]

TWO GIRLS SENT TO STATE SCHOOL

Nola Kluck and Lena Ward, young [illegible]

Judge W. Joe Hill, sitting for County Judge S. M. Ward, yesterday a[illegible]

The parents of the girls appeared in court and signified their willingness to be sent to the state school for girls at Geneva. [illegible]

[illegible] sented at the council.

[illegible] bation officer left with the girls for Geneva last [illegible]

Harrisburg Ready To Greet Boys At "Y" Conference

Harrisburg, is ready to [illegible] dreds of boys who will [illegible] Southern Illinois [illegible]

of the Y [illegible]

The program includes the following Friday afternoon, J. E. Hauter will lecture on "Making Citizenship Christian." "Traditions" will be discussed by H. Ross Bunce of Carbondale. At 6:15 Friday evening all the boys attending the conference will be given banquet at the First Christian church

John Powell, manager of the J. [illegible] Walker and Sons store of Sesser, was a business visitor in Benton yesterday.

FRANKFORT WATER COULD NOT BE WORSE

Present Supply is "So Unsanitary That It's Safe," Sanitary Engineer States.

[illegible] ply in West Fr[illegible] tary that it is entire[illegible]

[illegible] uped into three [illegible] nt of Health, and [illegible] ted at the [illegible]

[illegible] ve been com[illegible] effort to [illegible] rt straightened out

[illegible] present condition is so unsanitary that it is really safe," added Mr [illegible] use it for [illegible]

[illegible] opinion of Mr. Ferg[illegible] ther city in [illegible] ake the pop[illegible] lation of We[illegible] nkfort w[illegible] in[illegible] ilities He said that West Frankfort is classed by the health dep[illegible] ot as an unsanitary city, because of the impure and [illegible] ply and the unsan[illegible]

[illegible] that a number of citizens, Mr. Fergu[illegible] son agreed to return to West Frankfort within the next few weeks, the [illegible]

[illegible] ng an adequate supply of pure [illegible] ection he would [illegible]

[illegible] in condemning the present water and [illegible] hardly be [illegible] way he put it. He add[illegible]

DEPUTY SMITH BRINGS PRISONER

[illegible] B. Caudle, residing near [illegible] Mt Vernon, has been [illegible]

[illegible] manded to jail when he failed to fill the bond

MRS. HYCHE GETS DIVORCE DE[illegible] REE

[illegible] by Judge Eaglet[illegible] in C[illegible] late yesterday.

2 DEAD; 3 HURT FOUND

Relatives of Miners Crowd Shaft to Watch Rescue

SULLIVAN, Ind., Feb. [illegible] (By A. P.)—The fate of [illegible] miners entrapped by a blast in the City Coal Company [illegible] near here, was unknown [illegible] o'clock this afternoon. [illegible] Identified dead had been [illegible] from the mine. Three seriously injured had been [illegible] cued at that hour, [illegible] brought to the top by [illegible] gaged in rescuing the dead [illegible] injured said that probably more others were dead.

All mine rescue teams in [illegible] division have rushed to [illegible] scene and physicians and ambulances are already at [illegible] shaft waiting developments.

The explosion is said to have resulted from the ignition of gas and wrecked the in[illegible] the mine.

Scores of frantic women children and friends of the entombed men are crowded [illegible] the mouth of the shaft as close as they will be permitted [illegible] the rescue workers, and surge forward for some word from the depths each time they see a cage coming from the bottom.

It is extremely difficult to get any information concerning the true condition of the underground workings, the mine officials and workers being reluctant to make any statement, even concerning things they are believed to know.

The first-aid station has been opened in one of the [illegible] buildings and the injured [illegible] are being given treatment as fast as they can be [illegible] the surface.

A complete check of all men in the mine was not available at 2 o'clock this af[illegible] although it is not believed that more than fifty men have been [illegible]

HARRY L. FRIER SERIOUSLY ILL

Harry L. Frier, former editor of the Benton Evening News and now head of the F. & F. Poster Advertising Service suffered a very severe attack of heart trouble last night and [illegible]

Drummond—8 band.
WEEI, Boston—8:30 tenor, 7 pro-
WLS, Chicago—8:30 organ, musical,
8:30 recital.
8:30 concert.
KWDAP, Kansas City 8:30 sonata
30 recitals 9 orchestra, 8:05 ro

The works superb in school banking is very home what we have been do-

The children to see and a basketball

Arm-

Smith 76, Debra Dailey 7
Smith 82, Clarice Durell 7

For cold heat, wind and calm.

Lots of them will burn you.

a province, and then conquered to [illegible]
Hinsale fruits of victory.

The result was to [illegible]
tention of China, and to divert Japan to the ambitions which are now the sole basis for whatever there is of the yellow peril in the world.

Europe, and did not end with his [illegible]

Department of Interior announces is being radio [illegible]

employed by the Bureau of Pensions. He sells medicines on which he places a value of $40 a pair, but offers them to war

Considering that about one-seventh of our names are

DISTRICT MANAGER
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INSURANCE COMPANY

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All Kinds Notary Work

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LAWYER
Permitted to Practice in the Circuit
Federal and Death ntry Courts.

Ass Sallin

Lots of United States court here to
the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary and
Lawrence Ribel of Columbus, Ohio
of conspiracy to accept bribes. L. J.
Fletcher, former deputy warden was
acquitted.
The three defendants were charged
James N. Dalton, of Columbus, at-
[illegible] contention that the counsel
[illegible] ought be heard.
Judge Ervin to serve one year
six months in Atlanta penitentiary
Ribel was sentenced to serve one year
a new trial and fined the bail at $5000

AUTO THIEF, SHOT

Effingham

by a member of a you-
ough for
Illinois counties following the alleged
theft of an automobile by Volland at
Dadblive, Washington county, Illinois.
Volland died in St. Anthony hospital
here at midnight. The car which
he is alleged to have stolen is the
property of the owner referred to B.
G. Gropiano of Dalquon. The 75
mile chase included Centralia.

Kidneys
Cleans Kidneys
Hotts, or Bladder is

EXECUTE MAN FOR KILLING FOUR DOLLS

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah,
ary 23.—(By A. P.)—Henry G.
alias George Allen was
[illegible]
[illegible] for the murder of Police Sergeant H. P.
Farren on November 27, 1923, which
was 38 years old. The murder was
Farren followed an attempted robbery
when Green
overwhelmed
glab and fol
scions
dizzi, Biliousness, headaches, Hea
trouble, constipation, dizziness, over
eaters, sour stomach, sufferers often
from sluggish liver.
This mixture was left a dull ache in
the kidneys, or your back hurts, or
the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of
sediment, irregular of passage or is
coupled by a sensation of scalding, Gets
Doan's Pills. Gets Doan's Pills.
Gets at about four ounces of Iod Salts
from any pharmacy, take a tablespoon-
ful in a glass of water before breakfast
and in a few days your kidneys may not
[illegible]
Made
Iod
delightful
which will improve
stomach, liver, bowels
the native and the bl
[illegible]

A Few Good Reasons Why The
ILLINOIS MARKET CO.
Is The Best Place To Do Your Shopping!
Swift's Premium Cured Cala Hams, 21c
Fresh Ground Hamburger 10c
DRESSED Chickens 30c
10c—Best Pork Roast—18c
FRESH PORK STEAK 20c
Fancy STEAK 15c
OUR PET CATSUP . . . 19c
Fancy Chuck ROAST 14c
VIGORART OLEO 2 lb. 45c
28c—Country Cured Hams—28c
BOILING BEEF, lb. 7c
Go 10 Pail Pure LARD $1.75
Fresh Tripe 10c
Fresh Pig Hearts 10c
ILLINOIS MARKET CO.
East Main Street

PILES — ROYAL OLIVE

PERSONALS

MET WITH MRS NEAL

The Home Economics Department of Mrs. Fred Neal Wednesday afternoon. Sixty members answered to roll call with a poem, "God's Out of Doors." A paper prepared by Mrs. M. C. Hamilton which were very much enjoyed by the members. The assistant hostesses were: Mesdames, L. V. Bradford, Joe Tewell, A. L. Yolgin, and E. E. Beyer.

TO MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Domestic Art Club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. E. Pontefract 207 West 5th street.

Miss Mary Blackwell of Hopkinsville, Ky., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Davis.

BLACK Seed Oats. Packed in 3-bush el bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store. 32d

W. E. McKinze of Coello was a visitor at the Evening News the morning.

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Harrel Dorrie underwent an operation in the local hospital yesterday afternoon.

Fancy Salad Bowls, special for Friday and Saturday only 25c, at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

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Large Green seeds daily, we by ordering Heartland Dahlias, phone 1004

Fancy Water Glasses, 3 for 25c Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Brown Timothy and Red Top seed Browning's Book Store. 39-40

Variety Store. 42t2

Don't Fail to see our Big Special Saturday, Nifty Shirts Sale at 89-45. 49-1

night from a few days visit in St. L

Fancy Saturday Give us your order— Beebers. 42t2

Don't Fail to see our Big Special Saturday, Nifty Shirts Sale at 89-45. —Wassels.

IS YOUR MONEY BANKING

We will lend your money on good security, 7 per cent thirty days, with 5 per cent premium to you and we pay all taxes on loan for you. If interested write to us.—Dorris Real Estate & Loan Corporation, Harrisburg, Ill.

Don't Fail to see our Big Special Saturday, Nifty Shirts Sale at 89-45. 49-1

William Sneberough and F. J. Allen have opened an automobile repair shop in connection with the filling station at 204 North McLeansboro. The shop is now operating.

It again. So many people are buying their specials that they are go

inch percales for 15c yard, limit 8 yards or less to each customer. Ladies and girls hose in Black, Brown 15c pair; 10c Contain goods 20 lb. 10c or 20 yard; 10c Drapery, 10c yard.

yard, at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Henry W. underwent an operation at the Moore hospital this morning.

Miss Alta Ervin of Valley spent Thursday afternoon in Benton.

Ruffled Curtain Swiss, special 15c yard, at Glassman's Variety Store.

Hour 1da M. Turbett at the Baptist Church Friday evening at 8:00 O'clock. Admission Adults 75c Children 20c

Leo Vierne was admitted to the local hospital this morning.

Ruffled Curtain Swiss, special 15c yard, at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Don't forget to see the new Stamped Goods at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Mrs R. Parker of Vesper was a business visitor in Benton this morning.

NEW BILL TO STOP POOLS ON BALL GAMES

World Series Save Millions of Dollars Each

Hour of Eight, who yesterday introduced a bill to prohibit the sale of Scores in gambling pools, told the house that the member of such pools was little understood by the average

state with total sales of $250,000 a week

"Most of this money," he said, "

and even born in high schools. No one is barred by these petty larceny transactions."

In addition to being a gamble, few of the pools are honestly conducted Hour said.

"Prizes are not paid in many instances because the operator decides

that the next week he has changed the name of the pool and he bolts at the old stand. The police and county officials speedy work at the situation and tickets are sold in thousands of stores, factories, offices and shops."

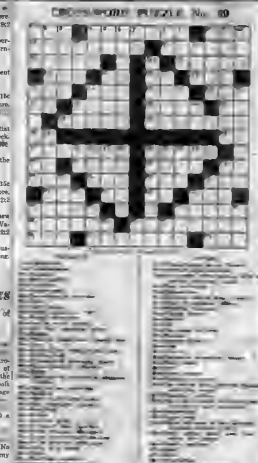
Illinois in the last six years. The bill makes specific reference to baseball, bank clearings, stock market and weather report pools

Ban Johnson Pleased

CHICAGO, Ill., February 20.—(By A. P.)—The bill introduced in the House of Representatives yesterday at Springfield to smash said evils

and smash teeth in it to stamp out the baseball pool evil which has been said

PICTURE PUZZLE No. 69

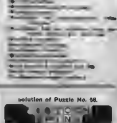


STATE TO LIFT OYSTER BAN

Health Conditions Now Permit Serving of Raw Oysters.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 20.—(By A. P.)—Illinois will remove its ban on raw oysters Saturday. This announcement was made last night by Dr. Isaac D. Rawlings, director of the Department of Public Health, who placed the ban on oysters something ago after an investigation of typhoid epidemic, said to have been caused by oysters.

The statement is



solution of Puzzle No. 68.

tings, director of the Department of Public Health of Illinois.

"Because of this favorable action, national in scope, and because of the assurance as to the safety of the oys

oysters will be

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the Health

been called by

Health of

NEW LAMP BURNS 96% AIR

Beats Electric or Gas

A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, has been tested by the U. S. Government and 35 leading universities and found to be superior to 10 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping up, is simple, clean, safe. Burns 94 per cent air and 6 per cent common kerosene (coal oil).

The inventor, J. L. Johnson, 669 W. Lake St., Chicago, Ill., is offering to send a lamp on 10 day's FREE trial, or even to give one FREE to the first user in each locality who will help him introduce it. Write him today for full particulars. Also ask him to show you how you can get the agency, and without expenience or money make $250 to $500 per month.

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THE BENTON EVENING NEWS ADS PA

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Quit Poisoning Yourself Today Feel Better in Few Hours

Physicians, Helps nature cleanse and tone your liver—strengthen your digestive organs—soothe the tired and overtaxed nerves, brace up your system and purify your blood and energy again. You, too, must be satisfied or no cost.

Dr Thacher's is sold and recommended under this guarantee by Clayton-Crisp Drug Co., and all good druggists.

Pure in the Can—Pure in the Baking—that's

CALUMET

THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

One trial will convince you—make a test—forget the rest

TRADE MARK OF ANY OTHER BRAND

SEEBER'S

Cash and Carry Cheap Store

Please us your order for dressed chickens Saturday to any of our three stores. Our chickens are dressed ready to cook. We have added a line of Ward's cakes and bread and sell it far less. We also sell other bread and rolls for less.

Leaf Lettuce, per pound..20c	Nice size Oranges, dozen..35c
Green Onions and Radishes—the large size bunch	3 pound box Crackers.....25c
Pure Jersey Milk, quart..15c	Breakfast Steel Cut Coffee 40c
Coconut, per package... 10	3 pounds good Coffee....$1.00
Red Onions, per pound. 10	3 pound can Kraut.....14c
Country Fresh Eggs 35	3 pound can Hominy 10
Potato Chips, large pkg. 15	Oats, per package.. 10
Potato Chips, small pkg 10	15 pounds Potatoes 50
3 cans Champion Baking Powder 25c	10 pounds Sugar 50
	Blue Rose Rice.....10c
	Choice Dried Peaches, lb. 20c

SEEBER'S

PALESTINE

Tommy Wilson of West Frankfort visited in this country Saturday and Sunday.

Denny Winemiller visited at Tilman Gibbs' in Benton, last Sunday.

Sam Kinkner sold a horse to Ar-

Sons of [illegible] attended the meeting at the [illegible] House Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Shackley is first to be making garden.

[illegible] Williams of Rem[illegible] church at Palestine last Sunday night.

Joe Hume is making a fine lawn

[illegible] tinkers which he hopes will save the trouble of carying the branch next summer.

Joe Elam is building a garage and [illegible] will begin the erection [illegible]

Ora Cockrum of Gap Prairie, visited Willie Klinker last Sunday

Chester Hoart, the Palestine school teacher, is at the bedside of his sister in Dahlgren, who is dangerously [illegible]

[illegible] Wilkerson sold one of his [illegible] Bay, and the [illegible] Phillip Wilkerson.

[illegible] Klinker is working for Herman Moore at Wallington this week.

Mr. Hammond has moved from C. [illegible] Weber's farm to one of Henry [illegible]son's houses.

WILLOW BRANCH

By VALLIE HATCHETT

We are having spring weather here now but the ground freezes of a night and thaws out of a day time which makes the dirt stick to the harrows while the farmers are sowing oats.

Logan McFarland of near West End made a business call on Vallie Hatchett one day last week.

The pencil pusher of Zeals is visiting in this vicinity at this w[illegible]

Raleigh Duckworth passed through these parts one day last week.

There has been a good many peddlers going through this neighborhood this week.

[illegible]ulie Downs has been dieting around with his tractor.

Arnold Patterson and wife [illegible] Monday night with Ray Smith and [illegible]

[illegible] visited Mon[illegible] daughter, Mrs. Teenie McFarland of Hamilton county.

LOGAN COVE

Quite a number of Logan people attended the basket ball game at West Frankfort Saturday night. They all seemed to be pleased with the results of the game, as they were in a jovial mood, when they returned. "As Benton Goes, So Goes Logan."

C. G. Heard was a business visitor in Benton Monday.

Leonard Menefee of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting his many relatives [illegible]

[illegible] were in Benton Monday on business. While there they purchased themselves a red hot tin.

Carl "Doc" Barker has moved into the beautiful Wright home on South 2nd street.

Hattie Neunlist returned to her duties in Chicago Sunday.

Edgar Crawford who has been visiting with Ernie Vaughn, left for his [illegible] the outskirts of the city Saturday night. A nice delightful time was had [illegible]

Marshall Aken motored to Benton Monday.

Mr. Dueck of the Davis Construction campboards of here, was in Logan Tuesday and reported that work was progressing rapidly on the I. C. Cut off.

Ralph Alverson has succeeded John Chrysnell as superintendent of the Black Star Mine here. We extend our [illegible] Alverson for suc[illegible]

High Record Made In Testing Cattle

A. P.)—Establishment of a new high record in cattle tuberculin tests of January is shown in a report by Dr. J. J. Lichter, federal inspector in charge of Illinois testing, when 56,346 cattle were tested.

This number is about 10,000 above the next highest record of October, 1924, when approximately 46,000 [illegible] the report.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce that T. J. CALLOWAY is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Benton Township, subject to the will of the Democratic party, at the ensuing [illegible]

[illegible] Mar. 7 1925 [illegible] Mar. 14 1925

WASHINGTON, February 20.—(By A. P.)—Unofficial reports of the British willingness to co-operate in a naval auxiliary craft and a new armament conference were received by officials today with gratification. Similar expressions of co-operation from Paris and other capitals will necessarily be sent, however, before any steps of a formal kind relating to the question of time and place for the conference can be given. Doug

[illegible] cordie that the attitude of the British government was at all times to back up any move by the United States to establish international peace on a firm basis. While the universal regard to bring about earn[illegible] ence had been going on for [illegible] in London and Paris as well as in Tokio it was stated it was consider-

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Best Beef Roast . . 14c	
FRESH GROUND Hamburger 10c	Pork Shoulder Small & Lean, Pound 17c
10 lbs. Granulated Sugar 70c	
PEAS Per Can . . 9c	3 Bars of Palm Olive Soap . 19c
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the Argonne, of suffering and destitution until his condition was brought to the attention of the American Legion and at last of bright hopes and happiness, was revealed here upon the arrival of Les...

school for a secretarial education. He is typical of thousands of young men who have been aided and today ... on their feet, but who, without the Legion's persistent efforts, would ...

No criticism of the delays in ...

one of the purposes of The American Legion endowment fund of $5,000,000.

His story, obtained between classes, follows:

the army October 6, that year.

ber 12, when he was transferred to the Argonne sector.

Blind Ten Days From Gas

Then Bruce, by now a private first class, was made liaison runner. On October 6, the anniversary of his enlistment, regimental headquarters moved up following an advance and ...

seek cover in a trench. The enemy's ...

... came on his legs and body ...

he was ordered to the United States ... 26, 1919, and was ... an ...

of salve ... of mustard gas poisoning if it should reappear. His legs were infected twice that summer while he was trying to farm near Wabash. Each time he was laid up two weeks treating them. In the meanwhile, he was troubled with his throat and with rheumatism.

His health gradually grew worse until he became bedfast January 2, 1923. He appealed to The American Legion the following month, with the result that he was admitted to the hospital at the Military Home in ...

him. They also paid Mrs. Bruce's return fare.

Gets $20 a Month

A second child had arrived in the Bruce home and Mrs. Bruce re...

him $20 a month with which to support his wife and two children, although he was on his back in a hos...

Mrs. Bruce obtained work in the Dayton Day Nursery, where her health broke after seven months, and they were forced to send the children ...

Wabash post of the Legion helped by ...

the children.

Bruce was discharged from the hospital June 11 1924, with the "maximum benefit received." It meant that the hospital could do nothing more for him ...

and in August, 1924, I received $1,415 as back pay for the time I was in the hospital."

This payment necessitated the raising of his disability rating, but it was cut down to 10 per cent again.

"In September I want to see The ...

into some thing more serious ...

secretarial course at the Central ...

part of his family and himself, and ... tuition and school material ...

"Professorships Extraordinaire" For University

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—(By A. P.)—Establishment of "Professorships Extraordinaire" at the University of Chicago, each to yield an income of $10,000 for use in any field in which the University has men of outstanding merit or in which an opportunity is offered to secure men of special attainment, is planned. An endowment of $200,000 would be made for each professorship, to be ...

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tion, furnish inspiration and impulse to high ...

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be the highest honor the University ...

... professorship is to render a ... service to scholarship and ... assures one's own ... through the association of ...

BUREAU AIDS IN SAVING MONEY

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 20.—(By A. P.)—Money saved in a single result of the cold wave warnings of ...

Clarence J. Root, ... charge of the Springfield bureau, declared today before the Ill... Academy of Science.

The average tendency of all forecasters of weather is about 88 per ...

most important service of the weather bureau, he continued, ... connection with the tropical storms known as "West Indian ... These disturbances ...

permanent Azores high pressure belt. When they break through they ... curve northeastward passing up the ...

are taken regularly at sea and sent by radio to the weather bureau. ... the location and extent of these ...

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SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 20—(By A. P.)—Scientists from all parts of Illinois gathered here today for the 18th annual meeting of the Illinois State Academy of Science.

Addresses and papers on subjects of general as well as technical interest are on the program which is one of the best in its history.

Members of the academy council will meet with members of the local committee at 8 a. m. tomorrow and the first general session will be held at 9 a. m., when new members will be elected and other business transacted.

Addresses of welcome by A. Shelton, state superintendent of registration, Samuel Bullard, mayor of Springfield and Harry J. Winstro superintendent of Springfield schools, will be followed by the annual address of the president, Dr. Walter G. Bain, Springfield, and Dr Thomas Parran of the U. S. Health service. Other speakers will deliver addresses at general sessions in the afternoon and evening.

At the night session, Dr John Stansfield, University of Illinois, will give an illustrated talk on "Some Wild Men of Borneo." He has just returned from Borneo and will report the results of his scientific and physiological observations. Capt. W D. Wheeler, director of the photograph department of the air service technical school, Rantoul, Ill., also will give an illustrated lecture showing the work of the army aerial observ-

Sectional meetings will occupy much of the delegates' time Saturday but all will gather at noon for a luncheon under the auspices of the Mid-Day Luncheon Club of Springfield. Dr Ernest D. Burton, president of the University of Chicago, will talk. The luncheon will be preceded by the final business session of the academy, at which committee reports will be made, and officers elected for the coming

Nearly 100 papers will be read by members at the various

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NEW LAWS FLOW FAST IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

(By A. P.)—Extension of the time for filing state world war bonus claims to July 1 will allow hundreds of Illinois men to present their cases for consideration, according to Adjutant Gen. Carlos E. Black.

Recommendation that a bill by E. W. Turner of Chicago, providing for the time extension, be passed, was to be made by the house appropriations committee. The total cost of the bill is expected to reach more than $1,000,000 but the money will be well spent, according to Thomas Curran, Chicago, chairman of the committee, because it will afford every world war veteran an opportunity in which to file his claim.

Meantime, disposition of contested claims is being made by the state compensation commission and every effort is being made to give applications for the bonus an opportunity to prove their claims, Gen. Black said.

Another bill by Rep. John Peffers, Aurora, provides for the payment to beneficiaries of deceased world war veterans the same amounts which they would have received had they been alive. Leading members of the appropriations committee indicated that they will favor it when it is presented for consideration.

Mrs Lottie Holman O'Neill has hopes that her bill limiting the employment of women to eight hours daily will pass this year. It was beaten a year ago. Concessions which have been made in the new bill, however, should reduce opposition considerably Mrs. O'Neill said. A new provision is that women employes of telephone companies may be employed longer than eight hours a day where sleeping facilities are provided and time is allowed for sleep, but that females shall not be employed longer than 10 hours in any one calendar day although time spent off duty in rest periods shall not be included in the working hours.

Another provision is made whereby the law will not apply at all where telephone operators are employed in their own homes. The exemption was made to care for small country exchanges where wire traffic is light and only one operator is employed.

Canning factories are exempted between June 15 and October 15. In case of extraordinary public emergency, such as floods, epidemics or other disasters the law will not apply but a report of the case must be made to the factory inspection division. Overtime in such cases would be limited to two hours and excess time would be deducted from the employes working hours in the ensuing seven days.

Charging that the eight hour law for women introduced in the house by Mrs. Oneill has been "carefully drawn with a view to eliminating seasonable employment and all employment which renders a service for the general public," the Illinois Manufacturer's Ass'n. has launched a movement to oppose the measure.

"There are no conditions in Illinois having to do with health, sanitary surroundings or social conditions warranting legislation on this subject," declared John M. Glenn, secretary, in

Rep. James J. O'Toole, Chicago, will urge favorable action on his bill to amend the park policemens pension fund law so that the "acts of duty" clause will cover the officer while he is on his way home by the most direct route. Its effect would be to place the policeman within the bounds of the pension law from the time he leaves his home until he returns.

Members of the assembly are not getting enough pay for their services, according to Arthur J. Rutshaw, Chicago, who is sponsoring a bill to increase the salaries of assemblymen from $3,500 to $5,000 a year. It was referred to the appropriations committee.

Restoration of law and order in counties where he believes conditions make it impossible for the courts to administer even-handed justice, is the aim of a resolution offered by Rep. Jerome L. Harrell, Norris City. It would amend the constitution so that the state could obtain a change of venue in order to insure fair consideration of any criminal case. The present law gives that privilege only to the accused.

The counties which he had in mind in suggesting the measure, Harrell said, were Williamson, Franklin, Saline and Perry. In all of these, he said law enforcement has been made a "joke" because of the failure of juries to convict persons accused of

Relatives and friends gathered at the home of Uncle Isaac Little, 1103 Fair street yesterday to honor his 89th birthday. A bountiful dinner was served at 2:30, to 105 guests.

The out of town guests were, Geo. Zeigler, George W Baiar and son, Walter, Mrs. John Baiar, and Mrs. Bess Atwood of Johnston City; Mrs. L. A. Goddard, and Mrs. John Pulley of Marion, Mrs. Robert Clem, Mrs. Arthur Ashupp and daughter of Herrin, Mrs. Nancy Hindman, Mrs. Chas Clem, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Iffert, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Moore, and Rev. J. E. Rutt of West Frankfort, J. Gregory, H. G. Rutt, of West Frankfort; J. H. Gregory, John Little and son Otis, Mr and Mrs. Henry Little and three children of DuQuoin; Rev. C. M. Weaver of Ilmo, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wall of Sesser; Fred Shoulders and son of Lawrenceville and Stanley Hess of East St. Louis.

Uncle Isaac received many useful and valuable gifts from his many [illegible] friends. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent in conversation.

of the judiciary committee, to which the measures have been referred, said that probably all of the bills would be considered at the same time.

Legal needs of drainage districts throughout the state are coming in for consideration. Rep. Holten, East St. Louis, has offered a bill to provide for the issuance of bonds by such districts while Rep. Suam, Watseka, has presented a bill to amend the farm drainage act to force petitioners to pay the costs and expenses incurred in organizing a drainage project

mit bringing cases involving less than $1,000 to the supreme court for decis-

Separation of the state forestry division from the department of agriculture and placing it under the proposed state conservation department if the latter is created, is provided for in a bill by Rep. Springer, Wilmette. It was referred to the fish and game committee, which also will consider the conservation department bill, introduced by its chairman Abbey of Biggsville.

Power to select streets in cities and villages to connect state highways would be conferred on the department of public works by a bill of Rep. Arnold, Quincy. Another bill sponsored by Arnold would permit the department of public works to issue road maps and make a charge for them, while a third bill would permit the erection of state highway signs and control of highway traffic in cities and villages.

A driveway maintenance tax in addition to regular park taxes and a provision to permit trial by jury of contested special assessment tax cases are provided for in two bills sponsored by Rep. Thon, Chicago.

Elbert Waller, Tamora, one of the three school teachers in the house an ardent student of history

nois public schools written. ... troduced by him would appropriate $20,000 for the work

practice in Illinois if bills already offered become law, according to Rep. Lyon of Chicago, and Chynoweth, of Macon, both of whom have introduced bills bearing on the subject. Lyons would prohibit justices of the peace from issuing permits to carry weapons and Chynoweth would require that ... rs in firearms or ammunition ... n licenses from the county judge ... that persons wishing to purchase ... earms should obtain a license.

Suggestion that the general assembly investigate the causes for the fluctuations in the price of gasoline was ... the Aurora automobile club, in a letter to Rep. McCarthy, Elgin.

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WOR, Newark—6 music.
WLS, Chicago—6 entertainers, 7:30 barn dance, Harmony Aces, Isham Reeves theatre, 9 dance, readings, vocal; 11 dance, solo
KYW, Chicago—7 concert; 8 musical; 8:15-11 dance; 11 program; 12-1 popular; 1-3 dance
WMAQ, Chicago News—8

WOC, Davenport—7 Sandman; 7:30 religious, 9 orchestra.
WWJ, Detroit—6 orchestra.
KNX, Hollywood—8:15 ms organ; 10 feature popular songs
KHJ, Los Angeles Times—8 concer 9 children; 9-45 talk; 10 fea
1 Lost Angles

WHAS, Louisville Times—concert
WSC, Memphis—8:30 concert.
CKAC, Montreal—8.30 concert, varied, 9:30 orchestra.
New York—6 trio, 6:30 mixed 8 blind entertainer; 9 tenor
30 health talk, orchestra 8:30 music; 10:15 entertainers; 10:30 dance.
New York—6 dance; 7 talk ng, 8 talk prayers, 8 songs, trio, orchestra
WOR, Newark—7:30 pianist; 8:45 piano
KGO, Oakland—6 concert, 10 "Elijah" soloists, address; 12 dance, soloist
WOAW, Omaha—6 dramatic, 6:30 ar ments, 8:45 program, 9 program 11:30 orchestra.

WGAE, Pittsburg—6-45 movie chats 7 music, 7:30 ambassor
Portland—12 Melody
on Jazz—7:30 concert, pop
WGY Schenectady—8:30 dance, orchestra

Politeness Akin to Gilt

If a horseman said he care that gilding has been invented, which, w ing its quality, has all its lo Then, to replace the kindness we have day and politeness which has

SPRINGFIELD, February 21.—(By A. P.)—Many persons hold queer ideas of ordinary scientific facts which are not strictly in accord with the truth, Clarence Bennett of the Riverdale Township High school, Riverdale, Illinois, told members of the state academy of science here today.

Many incorrect beliefs have been handed down from generation. Too bad said, and others are the results of poor observation. He is now making a survey, to see how widely incorrect beliefs are held and to demonstrate the importance of making the "true facts of biological science the common knowledge of common people."

To get an idea of what the average person believes, Bennett is conducting a questionnaire among high school pupils and adults in all parts of the state. A good portion of answers so far received show the following incorrect beliefs:

"Frogs is a reptile called a hop snake which takes its tail in its mouth and rolls like a hoop."

"The growth of vegetables is influenced by the time of the moon when the seeds are planted."

"A woman has one more rib than a man since one of Adam's ribs was removed in creating Eve."

"Ipecacuanha may be prescribed to one who has been bitten by a mad g by applying a 'mad stone' to the wound.

"The heart beat is caused by the part striking against the chest wall as it swings from one side to the other like the chapper of a bell.

"Some persons may remove warts by means of charms or cures them to disappear by performing certain acts or saying certain things over them.

"Malaria may be acquired by drinking water from wells, cisterns or reservoirs that have been contaminated

"A mule becomes fully a mule if he is no longer called a mule.

"Bad tares is chest. That is a farmer may sow wheat seed which free from other seeds and is sure to grow from some of the wheat seeds and upset at harvest time.

"A horsehoe left in a warming through may develop into a stone worn like natural called a horse hair snake."

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 21.—(By A. P.)—Only eternal vigilance and the skilled use of the methods of modern science keeps Chicago's water supply free from pollution, Dr. E. German, chief of the bureau of sanitary engineering of the Chicago health department, said today in an address to the Illinois State Academy of Science.

Constant effort is necessary to prevent the pollution of the city's water supply from each of four sources, German said. These he listed as follows:

1.—The Calumet River
2.—The Chicago River
3.—Sewage disposal from vessels.
4.—Dumping into the lake.

"In 1924," he said, "the Calumet river flowed toward Lake Michigan about 48 per cent of the time, carrying with it much contaminating material.

"Passenger vessels calling at the port of Chicago now are required to have sewage retention tanks and all dumping and dredging work now is under the supervision of health department inspectors.

"In addition to the preventive work special attention is paid to chlorination as the city's final line of defense against contamination of its water supply. New chlorinator units costing $150,000 now are being installed and the annual cost of the work is

Gastronomical tastes often occur in the water, he explained, because of the pollution of the lake waters by industrial wastes. This condition, he said, is most often noticeable at Southside crib.

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MRS. FRYE, HOSTESS TO

A day of real pleasure was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Ralph Frye, on West Reed street, Thursday, when the members of the Good Humor Club, came with covered dishes filled with many good things to eat.

[illegible] meeting was in keeping with a birthday dinner for Mrs. Bill Loman.

At noon a bountiful feast was enjoyed. One feature of the day was a Derby Race and as there were so many winners the prize was divided with all present. It being such a lovely day, business was dispensed of and the ladies enjoyed a drive to Christopher.

Mrs. Frye was assisted by her [illegible]ter, Mrs. Cash Engle.

Everyone departed declaring Mrs. Frye, a charming hostess and wi[illegible]ing Mrs. Loman many more happy [illegible]

BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Robert Hudelson and Mrs M. C. Hammer were hostesses to the Fortnightly Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. Hudelson, on Hudelson St., yesterday afternoon. There were six tables of bridge in play with Mrs. Wm. Brinkey winning first prize, Mrs. L. V Swofford second; Mrs. H. O. Young first guest prize, and Mrs. Arch Johnson second guest prize.

The out of town guests were Mrs. Guy Kuykendall of West Frankfort and Miss Cora Martin of Madisonville, Ky.

Mrs. Milton H. Kemp of Oak Park, Ill., and Miss Florence and Wendell Frier of Champaign, were called home on account of the illness of their father, H. L. Frier.

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bushel bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store. 39t

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rentfro of Zeigler were visitors in Benton today.

William [illegible] and [illegible] Allen have opened an automobile repair shop in connection with the filling station at 701 North McLeansboro. The shop is now open for business with expert mechanics in charge of the work. Phone 761W.

Mrs. E. Austin and Mrs. Claude Brown were visitors in Herrin Thursday.

The Herrin Supply Company, are at it again. So many people are buying their specials that they are going to run Big Special for Saturday and Monday only 25c full standard 36 inch percales for 15c yard, limit 8 yards or less to each customer. 25c Boys and girls hose in Black, Brown — 15c pair; 15c Curtain goods 36 in wide at 9c yard, 25c Drapery, new pattern at 20c yard. 42t1

You are invited to see the beautiful new Studebaker Brougham and coach now on display.— Hickman-Etherton Motor Company.

All persons indebted to the Clayton-Crisp Drug Company, will please call and make settlement with David L. Evans, at Clins-Wick Drug Co. 43*3

New Dress Prints, special 49c yard, at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Miss Ida deWerff of Chicago is the guest of her brother, H. A. deWerff and family, for a few days.

Hear Ida M. Tarbell at the Baptist [illegible] Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock. [illegible]ssion Adults 7[illegible]

[illegible] Goods at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

[illegible] Curtain Scrim, special 15c at Glassman's Variety Store.

The Auxiliary of the Spanish-American War Veterans will meet Sunday in the K of P hall at 1:30. Mrs. Hoyt, [illegible] meeting. All the ladies who want to become charter members are urged to be present and the charter closes to-[illegible]

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Mrs. Belle Walker who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. E Potter for several days returned to her home in Murphysboro this after-[illegible]

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The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held on Monday night in the Legion hall. All members are urged to be present.

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Wardland Dairy, phone [illegible] 266t1

Clover, Timothy and Red Top seed. Browning's Book Store. 36t3

The Music and Art Department of the Woman's club will meet Monday evening at the home of Mrs. S. E Dudley 717 East Main St.

Don't forget to see the new Stamped Goods at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Tony Cernjar who has been a patient in the local hospital was able to return to his home in Zeigler yesterday.

Don't Fail to see our Big Special Saturday. Nifty Spring Hats at $3.45. 43*1

Judge N. A. Frier, father of Harry L. and Clarence Frier, Mrs. Steiner and Mrs. Waugh, is seriously ill at his home near Steiner's store.

The Moose Legionnaires will give a dance tonight at the Moose Hall. Everybody invited.

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Miss Sybel Mcllnish of Zeigler is the week end guest of Miss [illegible] Collins.

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We will loan your money on good [illegible] 6 per cent. [illegible] pay all taxes on loans for you. If interested write to us.—Dorris Real [illegible]

In Benton's Churches

First Methodist

(W. I. Terhune, Pastor.)

It always takes patience and wise forecast to make one satisfied with the slow development of things in the world. The reason for this is that so much is in the making. The present output may seem imperfect and uncouth, but wait, after a while the finished product, and it will please us much. Perhaps many folks become impatient and loose their grip on God and the best things of life. "Have faith in God," forge ahead and "right the day will win."

Another substantial increase in the attendance at Sunday School last Sunday brings the attendance up very near the 400 mark. Let's go over the top next Sunday. This can be done for there are many folks in our city who do not attend Sunday School and are likely waiting for an invitation from us. What say?

The sermon topic for the morning worship service this Sunday will be [illegible] Stewardship of Possessions or [illegible] cussion of the series of sermons on Christian Stewardship. There has been a keen interest in these studies all along. The music program for this service will be carefully planned for your uplift and blessing.

For the evening service a Washington birthday anniversary service is planned. This will be in the form of a Patriotic sing. Using some eight or ten patriotic hymns to be sung, for the most part by the entire congregation with a brief history of both the hymn and the author. There will be also appropriate special music, both vocal and instrumental. The organ prelude will be an inspiring medley. This will be a service a little differ[illegible] yet one in which all patriotic citizens will wish to participate.

Epworth League at 6 p. m. Devotional topic "Our County's Christian Cornerstones". This promises to be one of the outstanding young peoples services of the season. Many interest[illegible] will be discussed. Let all be on time and, of course, remain for the Patriotic Sing.

All welcome at all services.

First Baptist

[illegible]

9:30 a. m. The church studying the word of God.

10:45 a. m. The Church Worshiping [illegible] be: "Why I am leaving the Pastorate of the First Baptist Church, April 1."

6:00 p. m. The Church Training for Servi[illegible] through the Senior and Intermediate B. Y. P. U.

7:00 p. m. The Church [illegible]angelizing. Special music by [illegible]rch orchestra. Those who heard them on last Sunday evening know full well that a rare treat is in store for those who will be present.

Other special features at this service [illegible] presentation of license to John W Lairsey as an approval [illegible] work of the Gospel Ministry [illegible] choir from the church of which Bro. [illegible]

[illegible] service that will be held in this church for some time at least by the present pastor.

First Christian

A patriotic service will be held Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the First Christian church. Three outstanding speakers of the city have agreed to address the audience, Judge T J Layman, Hon. Moses Pulverman and Attorney M. M. Hart. The life of George Washington will be presented under the following topics.

George Washington; the Man," Mr Pulverman.

"George Washington The Soldier and Patriot," Mr. Hart.

"George Washington the Citizen," Mr Layman.

The Choir loft will be occupied by the Men's Choir who will lead in the singing of patriotic hymns, and will sing as a special number, "I Salute Thee, Old Glory," by Miles. The organist will give a patriotic medley.

At 9:30 a. m. the regular Bible [illegible] 5 the Junior Congregation under the leadership of Mrs. W J. Fitzgerrell, at 10:45 the regular morning worship and communion service. At the 10:45 service the minister will speak from the subject, "The Conversion of a Good Man," the third of a series of sermons on New Testament Conversions. The choir will sing "Rejoice and be Glad," by Schoell.

At 6:00 o'clock, the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will meet to study the subject "[F]riendliness as expressed through industrial missions." Miss Dorothy Austin is the leader.

Christian Endeavor Society

In what make car would you rather ride? Get in one of the following for a trip to the meeting Sunday evening: "Stutz" driven by Nelle Harten, "White Steamer" driven by Walter Ewing; "Flint," driven by A. D. Jackson; "Rolls Royce" driven by Webber Starkey: and "Ford" driven by Reathel Odum. Fill up your car and it counts 15 points. Other points will be given for various phases of the lesson under discussion. Be sure to memorize a verse or two or three from the scriptures. This not only will count points for you, but it will be extremely helpful. A good crowd, A good [illegible] the evening.

First Baptist Church

West City

J. R. McDuffy, Pastor

Regular services this evening at 7:00 o'clock, tomorrow at 11 and tomorrow evening at 7:00. Our pastor was not with us for our regular services two weeks ago on account of being in a special series of meetings at West field, but we are expecting him this time and feel confident that he will be in the pulpit at the appointed hour.

[illegible] come so frequent that we are led to expect it each Sunday. The attendance has more than doubled during the [illegible] two months and is still increasing.

We still need an added interest on the part of elderly members of the [illegible]

[illegible] slackers? [illegible] one can answer the [illegible]

Christian Science Society

[illegible]

Golden Text Psalms 14

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening meet[illegible]

Reading room open Mon[illegible] nesdays and Fridays from 3 to 5 p. m.

Church and reading room on North Maple Street. The public is cordially [inv]ited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

Nazarene Church

The Church of the Nazarene, 803 [illegible] Main Street, announce a special [illegible] [gosp]el preached in its fullness [illegible] singing each evening [illegible] commencing at 7:30.

All welcome.

CORA RYAN, Pastor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Josiah N Rentfro, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Josiah N. Rentfro late of the county of Franklin and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Franklin County, at the Court House in Benton, Illinois, at the April [illegible] to the undersigned.

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Mrs. Robert Bond of Valier was a [illegible]

William Galbaher of Logan visited [illegible]

Miss Helen Harris of Logan was a [illegible]

[illegible] Carmi, Ill., will preach at the Primi[tive] [illegible] is an able young man and [illegible] him.

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THE LITTLE TEN TITLE DEPENDS ON GAME HERE TONIGHT

MAROONS ARE CRIPPLED FOR GREAT EVENT

Lowery Will Not Be In Game; Fry May Play Only Part of Game Tonight.

The game that in all probability will decide the championship of the Egyptian Little Ten Basket Ball Conference will be played at the Benton Township High School tonight when Carbondale comes here for a game with Coach Tabor's Maroons. This will quite likely prove the basket ball classic of the season as these two teams are considered the two top-notchers.

Benton and Herrin are in a tie for the second place with Carbondale only a nose ahead of them. While Benton has a game with Herrin before the title is finally bestowed, it is the belief among followers of the sport that the Maroons should win this contest by virtue of the fact that they have all ready defeated the Herrin squad this year. If there should be such bad luck as Carbondale winning the game here tonight, then either Herrin or Benton will tie the Normal City lads for first honors.

Carbondale defeated the Maroons ...

It is the belief, however, that the teams Carbondale has defeated have been the weaker teams of the conference, and that Benton really stands an excellent show to win tonight. But they can expect no easy game—Carbondale is coming with blood in one eye and the other on the Little Ten ...

The Carbondale High School has all ready made reservations for 125 students and members of the faculty, and it is expected that this many more ... nts of that city will come along to watch their boys in action ... Benton. If it takes support to win the Carbondale boys will have no alibi for a loss there.

Benton's team will likely be serious- ... these strong title contenders. Fry, the ...

... play more ... goes in at all. In event he does not play the heavy work at center will probably be left up to Hickman.

Benny Lowery is also indispo d and his condition, while not in any way serious, is such as to make it impossible for him to be in the lineup against Carbondale. Just who will take his place at guard has not been made known by Coach Tabor.

A thrilling preliminary is promised between the Ina and the Logan branch of the Benton Township High school. These teams have clashed before this season, and it is quite likely that the drubbing Ina was handed at the hands of Logan then will be reversed this time.

The preliminary will start about 7:20 o'clock, while the ... begin at 8:20, affording ... ity to all who work in stores and offices to be there in time for the great conflict.

GRADERS WIN AT GREENVILLE

Benton won their first tilt of the grade school basket ball tournament at Greenville last night when they de- ... spite of the fact that the Benton lads were minus the services of Captain Foulk and another of their regulars who were not able to take part in the game.

They will meet Centralia this afternoon in the semi-finals and if they win then they will go into the finals tonight.

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Lincoln School Defeats Webster

The Lincoln basketeers defeated the Webster five 'Benton City Champions' of last year to the tune of 12-4. Tedrow officiated. These lads show flash- ... the tournament.

The "Honest Abe" quintet have again upheld their former record of the last few years, having won eighteen of 23 games. Two games were lost last year and two the year before. Only nine games were lost in the last three years. Their record for this year includes several victories over seventh and eighth grade teams, 4 out of 5 from last years champions, the Webster five straight from the Douglas, 4 of 7 with the Grant and 5 straight from Logan, Illinois, and one game was lost to the Washington. This they expect to average when they play Washington in the second game, of the sixth grade tournament. The jinx has followed the Lincoln Crowd for several years but despite this fact the Lincoln lads expect to bring home the bacon by putting in some real hard work.

RESULTS OF OTHER GAMES

At—Herrin, 22; Cairo, 19.

At—Carbondale High, 16; Elkville 10.

McKendree College, 42; Carbondale Teachers' College 28.

Speaker Says Men of Science Can Not Believe in Astrology

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 21—(By A. P.)—Persons who have been led to believe in palmistry, astrology phrenology and similar occult practices "are merely the victims of psychological gold bricks," Prof. Coleman R. Griffiths of the department of psychology at the University of Illinois told members of the Illinois State Academy of Science here today.

"The attitude of men of science is impersonal and objective instead of personal and subjective," said Prof ...

... intelligent instead of emotion- ... critica. Instead of credulous, it leans to experimental facts rather than to chance and coincidence. It seeks for control rather than magic. It is sane and tempered rather than intoxicated and troubled. It is naturalistic rather than superstitious. It looks for an ordinary world rather than for ... which ... gist, men of science cannot believe in astrology, palmistry and phrenology quack methods of training memory and will power, psychic research, telepathy, spiritualism, crystal gazing and the like.

"Furthermore, the psychologist, as a man of science, has gotten facts which make belief in occult practices and psychological gold bricks' a psychological crime. Most forms of occultism are vicious ways of preying upon the public for money. There are wildcat mental schemes as well as wildcat oil stocks."

INDIANS PUT THREE MEN IN SELECT GROUP

CLEVELAND, Feb. 21.—(By NEA Service)—Considering only those who took active part in at least 100 games, Cleveland placed three players in the first 10 leading hitters last season. They were Jamieson, Speaker and Myatt.

Jamieson finished next to Ruth, clouting the ball for a mark of .356; Speaker batted .344 and Myatt .342. Speaker tied with Goslin of Washington for seventh place, while Myatt just got inside the select group.

Stephenson, Cleveland utility man, also did well, hitting .371, but only participated in 71 games.

Other .300 clouters on the Indians' roster included Shaute, .318; Joe Sewell, .316, Burns, .310, and Uhle, .308.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Valentine Spencer to W. W. McAfoo; war deed, con $800, east half of north west SW 16-6-3.

Henry Glinburg to Harry M. Zwich, quit claim deed; con $4600; lot 5 blk 20; original plat of West Frankfort.

W. H. Cahell to Sybel Casey, war deed, con $1, lot 6 blk 1; J. W. Royalls third add to Sesser.

Helen Malanwski to Clyde Bateman; war deed; con $2650; lots 13, 14 blk 7; M. W. Cockrum first add to Sesser.

Henry Durris to Minnie Pearl Durris; war deed; con $25500; lot 6 1 ... 6; L. C. Dorris first add to W. Frankfort.

Geo. Costin to Eldrid Seymo ... deed; con $1; lot 1 blk 5, R. L. ... add to Benton.

J. E. Story to Aldina Guglumi, war ... blk 8, Treece and Brown sub-division 25-7-2.

David B. Gault to Mattie Gault war deed, con $1; lot 16 blk 13, Ohio Valley Mining Co. first add to Frankfort Heights.

Albert Garrison to ... war deed, $1860, lo ... sub division SE quarter pt SW SE, ...

LAURA Kimmel to Everett Bundy quit claim deed; $1; part north half NW 35- ...

Walter W. Peters to Hannah E. Peters, war deed, con $1, part 836-6-4.

Mike Irwin to Elmer Do ... deed, con $1960; Horn, D ... fort; lot 12 blk 2.

Pitcher Sothorn Offers Most Mysterious Case in Annals of Baseball

ONE BAD FAULT SPOILS CAREER

Has Pitcher A... after floundering in and out of the major leagues for over 10 years, finally, found himself?

Sothoron for years has had more stuff than nine out of 10 star pitchers, yet he has never been a success. Managers have held on to him with the hope that additional experience ... besetting fault during all those years was inability to make a ... hurried throw to a base. Always the possessor of good control in pitching to the batters, he lost his sense of ... years of ... with a perfect fielding ...

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Sothoron, with an iron arm and ... intelligence, could not control his throw once he fielded the ball.

On bunts or easy taps hit straight to him he lost his bearings. With one swish of his arm he threw ... threw in any direction, which usually was yards away from his fielder.

To first, second, third base or the plate, Sothoron aimed and fired.

And eventually he "threw himself out of the American League."

In 1920 Sothoron registered the lowest fielding percentage ever recorded by a regular pitcher, having an average of .813 with 14 errors, 1 ... putouts and 49 assists.

Sothoron passed from the Browns to the Red Sox, thence to the Cleveland Indians. Tris Speaker thought he could correct the fault but gave up the job after a year's trial.

Sothoron, disgusted with himself, retired from baseball in 1922. But the germ worked its way back into his system and he accepted a transfer to the Louisville Colonels in the American Association in 1923.

The scene changes. Branch Rickey, as manager of the St. Louis Browns in 1914, discovered Sothoron. And he refused to believe ... such an ... could not be ... took a chance and purchased Sothoron for St. Louis Cardinals ...

Made Two Perfect Records

... story is not closed. Sothoron ... one of the few pitchers with a perfect fielding average in the National League last season. He handled 37 chances in his 29 games, making 35 perfect throws including the retirement of batters or run- ... nals' camp ... spri... On the first ... "I have it ... He saw ... Sothoron, in fielding the ball, made ... taking aim. He ... the ball and made his throw. He did ... not steady himself. For days and weeks Sothoron was ... through such a course—fielding ...

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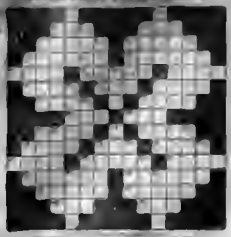

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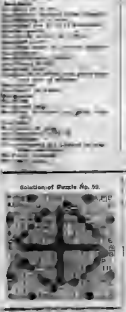

LITTLE JOE

A Puzzle for

THE GIRLS WAS SO FAT—HER FATHER PUT HER IN A SIX 50 W

A man cashed a check at a bank, by a mistake, the cashier gave him cents for dollars and dollars for cents.

After spending 68c he discovered the mistake; he had just twice as much money as he received when he cashed the check.

How much was the check for?

That puzzle answer

The missing words were FAT, HER and FATHER. The first two, combined, form the third.

Avoid Self-Praise

Men of real merit, and whose noble acknowledge, are yet not to be endured when they vaunt their own worth.

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MEN OF NATIONAL REPUTATION ON PROGRAM

Production of Tobacco Small

Reduction Is Attributed to Decreased Plantings in All Growing Sections.

Decrease of Report

Hi, Mallean! Horray
For your stalls each day
You sure cover plenty of ground.
We like what you bring us
Except when you sting us
With bills when the flies rolls around.

widely quoted
ness in informal speech or writing.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Capitol Cafe

Special Sunday Dinner

Virginia Baked Ham

Cream Cone

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—... Mrs. Roy Moore. Phone 79

FOR SALE—Good buggy bargain; Call 632 Buchanan.

FOR RENT furnished rooms for light housekeeping. —Mrs. Claude Rhodes, 405 W Webster 39tf

FOR RENT—5-room house, ... hot an... ter, good location, on paved

FOR SALE—home-grown oats; extra quality.—Walter W ...

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Store and four room house. Enoch Stanevich, 600 N. Stuyvesant St. 75*8

WANTED

WOMEN to embroider for us at home all or spare time. Experience unnecessary. No canvassing. Standard Embroideries, Defiance, Ohio. 41*6

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... first class condition. ...

FOR SALE OR ... rge or small.—S...

FOR SALE Coa... rang...

... white enameled gas stove, 1... W.—808 College. Price $1000 30tf

YELLOW CHIX ... Selling Chix ... lots White ...

Phone 158. Sheriffs Office

CURTAINS CALLED BOOST SILK TRADE

Demand for Shimmering Goods Boosts Industry.

London. The little shop girls of England are responsible for a boom in artificial silk trade that is one of the bright spots in the business life of these isles.

The manufacturers of a new process ... silk material ...

... cause the girls in the shops ... and even ...

before and throughout the w... That attitude for style changing which in America could make and unmake flapper fashions overnight, moves slower in England, and a year ... girls found th...

based upon silk stockings. The manufacturers of the artificial silk then reopened their mills, closed by post-war dormancy, and have kept the factories working overtime producing stockings, blouses and other similar articles. The artificial silk trade has grown until now most of ...

... ing firms are producing artificial ... sort. Machinery for making ... ficial silk garments and novelties is being invented and marketed.

... where artificial silk shawls, ... blouses and cloths are being produced ... even a more luxurious gloss ... silky softness than real silk.

Offers to Pay Damage His Horse Did to Engine

Iron Mountain, Mich.—The unusual ... in all lines of industrial activity but the officials of the Northwestern railroad are discussing an incident that holds no parallel in the history of the company.

The collision of a freight train with a horse and a wagon is not new ...

to compensate the owner of the horse and wagon for his losses are notid...

... ut when the owner of th...

order to pay the loss inflicted on the railway company that is different.

Yet this is precisely what happened recently when a horse valued at $30, hitched to a load of wood, was struck by a Northwestern freight train at Iron Mountain and killed. T... was wrecked and the wood strewn ...

... M. J. Fox of the ...

had suffered in the incide...

New Austrian Currency Wipes Out Millionaires

Vienna.—American visitors to Austria who used to get a ... ing the Austrian fre... had to pay 70,000 crowns f... first meal on Austrian soil in the dining car, will soon be deprived of this sensation. They will no longer gasp ... they did when ... ers in Vienna ... bargain ... suit of clothes.

They will not be benumbed by huge figures with little meaning, nor hear ... before giving the elevator ... 1,000-crown banknote. Austria is to ... y, which will reduce everything to the seven-fold of ...

... inations will be "shill... and seven sh... will be equal to $1, while the shilling will be subdivided into 100 ... There will be 10,000 paper crowns to one shilling.

... might have, will melt down ... shillings. Owners of paper ...

... programme ... hand ...

... footwear worn at the casinos in ... models ... shoes ... both the ...

... and his daughter, Louise, ... It is believed to be the first "father and daughter law firm."

Louise was admitted to the ... recently. She has a high school education and has studied law in her father's office four ...

BAPTISTS ... $58,000,000 IN CASH

Final Report on 75 Million Campaign Is Issued by General Headquarters.

NEW PROGRAM PROJECTED

Men of Churches Will Assist In Enlisting Membership More Fully—Conferences Planned In States.

Total cash collections on the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, which closed finally in December, amounted to $58,573,515, it is reported by the general headquarters. This money came from the following states: Alabama, $2,712,464.63, Arkansas, $2,319,6..., District of Columbia, $..., Florida, $1,009,416.59, Georgia, ... tucky, $6,414,159.87; Louisiana, $1...

DR. J. T. HENDERSON, Secretary Layman's Movement

North Carolina, $5,...,049.83; Oklahoma, $1...; ... $4,752,390.32; ... Texas, $5,720,161.59; Virginia, $5,7...; ... Home Board specials, $15,340; Foreign Board specials, $56,203; contributed by foreign church directly to Campaign $350,000.

represented nearly four times as much as was given in the preceding five years to missions, education and benevolences, the offerings for the previous five years being $16,164,345.00.

Campaign Gains Set Forth

Other gains of the Campaign period include the organization of 3,850 new churches, baptism of 959,343 converts, organization of 2,913 Sunday schools with a gain of 445,781 pupils, an increase of $53,547,268.00 in the value of local ... contributions to ... in addition to ... Campaign $104,573,580.90.

In the special departments of work fostered by the Campaign the following typical results are noted:

... k of ... ces on the for... y the Foreign Mission ...

years before the ... launched; increasing the number of Baptist hospitals in the South from 12 to 24 and giving $7,000,000 in free medical and surgical services to the deserving poor, raising the number of Baptist orphanages from 17 to 18 and caring for 4,000 homeless boys and girls and aiding more than 1,000 aged, worn-out preachers and their ...

Projected ... Campaign fin... lists have now ... Program which ...

tion, it is hoped to raise this year ... Southern Baptists for these ... or the equivalent of ... single year in the fo...

It is pointed out that only ... per cent of the members of Baptist churches of the South had a ... share in the support ... Campaign. It is the aim of the ... Program to enlist every member of every church in giving at his ... lar church services, to every cause according to his ability, through his church treasury.

With the hope of more fully enlisting the Baptist men of the South in ... Henderson of Nashville ... the ... promoting ... ences to the m... states durin...

... enterprises ... Baptists and ... then ent...

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 21.—(By A. P.)—Gigantic ferns and fern-like seed plants together with numerous large trees covered Illinois during the time of the carboniferous formation which resulted in the great veins of coal which underlie the state according to a paper read by A. C. Noe, University of Chicago, at meeting of the Illinois State Academy of Science here today.

In addition to the ferns and tree numerous "horse-tails" and many ...

... which were made in the coal mines of Will, LaSalle, Grundy and Bureau counties and in the beds of Mazon creek, Noe deduced that at the time the coal beds were formed a tropical or sub-tropical climate prevailed in th...

"A striking ...

once were found and those which did exist were very insignificant." ... the most prolific coal fields ... Known township, ... Knox county. Fred R. Jelliff ... burg, said in another address.

Jelliff based his statements on the evidence procured through 126 borings in an area of 18 square miles. Nine distinct veins of coal were ... Jelliff said, with the highest ... feet under the soil. In addition ... clay shale, ranging ...

STAR Theatre

Friday - Saturday

10c and 30c

Sessue Hayakawa

The Danger Line

A drama taking place in Japan that is different and

Wm. Duncan

in ...

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Business location on North Main. Clean, fresh stock, practically new fixtures, ... location in ...

Object of s... engage in other bu... Can be had at a barg... taken at once.

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W. FISHER,

Benton, Ill.

NOTICE

Price of car washing now ...

... inside and ...

vs.

Mario Pagani, John Pagani, Toney Pagani, Frank Pagani, Joseph Pagani, Lena Pagani, Josephine Demotti and ... Gualdoni.—Partition.

Public Notice is hereby given, that ... pursuance of a decree entered on ... day of February A. D. ... in the above entit... cause, I, Wm. D. Seeber, Master in Chancery of said Franklin County ... hour of one o'clock in the ... Door of the Court House ... Illinois, in said Franklin County, sell at Public Vendue, to the highest and ...

County of Franklin, State of Illinois, to-wit:

The South 1-2 of a part of Lot N... Fifteen (15), in the southeast quart... of Section Eighteen (18), Township Six ..., South, Range ... of 3rd Principal Meridian which is bounded as follows: Com... the Northeast corner of ... ber Fifteen (15), thence running West Seventy-five (75) feet, thence running South to the South line of Number Fifteen, (15), thence running East seventy-three (73) feet, thence running North to the place of begin...

TERMS OF ... 50 per cent cash in hand, b... one year, pur... chaser to give ...

premises.

Dated at Benton, Ill. ... day of January, A. D. ...

M. D. S...

... from ... adapted to the manufac... ture ...

Adoption of metric standards of ... and measure by the United ...

... A. Nev... professor ... University ...

tric system would effect a ... dous economy in education and will save time, materials and e...

(Dr. Knowles in charge)

Will Be in Benton

HUDSON HOTEL

Thursday, February 28

HOURS—8 A. M. TO 5 P. M.

ONE DAY ONLY—RETURN EVERY TWO WEEKS

SPECIALISTS, who devote entire time to the treatment of Men, Women and Children as follows:

STOMACH, Liver, Kidneys, Bowel, Gall Stones, Constipation, Appendicitis, Abdominal Troubles, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Female Troubles, Neuralgia, Deafness, Varicose Veins, Catarrh ... and Throat, Leg Ulcers, ... Debility, Ruptures, Bedwetting, ... lepsy, Fits, Heart Troubles.

PILES & RECTAL FISTULA treated without the knife. No Chloroform. No cutting.

E...—Tested and glasses fitted. Granulated Lids, Conjunctivitis, ... ated Eyes.

PAY US AS YOU ARE ABLE

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Most operations can be avoided. If you have been treated by one ... and have ... not well, do not give up all until you see us ... We may be of service to ...

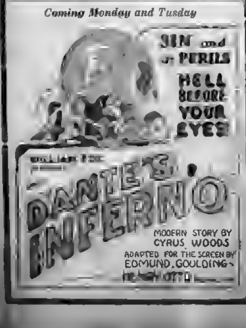
CONSULTATION, AND ADVICE ...

REMEMBER you are given a ... personal EXAMIN...

... ly ... ment ...

Write or call

DR. R. E. HALEY, M. D.



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And JUST LOOK at These Prices:

... LABEL, pound can	14c
RED LABEL, 1½ pound can	15c
... LABEL, 5 pound can	35c
RED LABEL, 5 pound can	40c
BLUE LABEL 10 pound can	68c
RED LABEL, 10 pound can	75c
ORANGE LABEL, 5 pound can	48c
ORANGE LABEL, 10 pound can	85c

The following are a few of our many bargains in fresh Vegetables. We carry a complete assortment of fresh Fruits and Vegetables.

HEAD LETTUCE, Per pound	20c
2 bunches for	10c
FRESH SPINACH, Per pound	15c
FRESH CARROTS, 3 pounds for	25c
TURNIPS, Per pound	5c

Do Your Bit—Cont... Boy Scout

Cash Grocery Co.

Benton Evening News

BLAME BOOTLEGGERS FOR DEATH OF POLICEMEN

COOLIDGE HINTS MODIFICATION IN ARMAMENT

ference "That Our

of armament," the President said. the President made no direct refer

DEATH CLAIMS JUDGE PRIER

tive of Shawnee

Shawneetown to Benton some five
par-, age, and during his residence

others to pursue the same program.
n peace of law, of order, of security

decisions and
ing. He at one time made a race for

served as police magistrate in the city

TWO SENATORS TO BE QUIZZED

Harry L. Prier, Curtisee A. Prier
and Mrs. Robert

changes of accepting a fee for practicing before government agencies, the Justice department is, into charges that two others have improperly used their influence in Washington.

The two against which the latest charges have been brought are Senator of Missouri and Barson of New Mexico, both Republicans. Senator Wheeler, Democrat of Montana is

E. Fisher, p.
for of the best Christian sin
finishing, assisted by W. L.
be at the Masonic and Odd Fellow
cemetery here

Hon. T. J. Layman, an old friend of Judge Prier has been asked by the family to prepare an obituary, and this will appear in the Evening News tomorrow

SPECIAL GRAND JURY REPORTS

Bond in Chicago for the

Moss, E. L. Webb, James Riley, Fred
Wyatt, Billie Burris, A. C. Denham,

R. Melville,
Eleven true bills were returned the

Herschel Morgan, assault

Southern Illinois Pioneer, Successes at His Benton Home Sunday

"Keig" a "Hot Shot" Fan For Boy Scout Drive, Sees Need of Early Training

you not. Why,

always on or counsel
, that will be for the
city or community, was
asked to tell the Evening News look
what he thought of the Boy Scout
movement and their coming drive for
funds. We asked him to make his re-
marks in writing, for when he starts
talking it would take fourteen stenographers to take down his remarks.

ard, and action as follows:

From Keig:

try to "serve" us with the latest and
"This morning you asked me to ex-
and night. If I can help by giving some
of my time to them, tell 'em to whistle

anciel support and everyone should
contribute as liberally as possible,
should not put our hand in the pocket

—The Scout training is a wonderful

in my way of seeing things people
in general are not giving this move-
ment the sincere thought they should.
There are a few men who are giving
to this work a great deal of their
time, it would be awfully nice if we
would all get enthusiastic over the
matter, and give our support, both
with time and money.

something the crime wave of today. If
we keep on plugging away at this

a Star Boarder on the state. The train-
ing they get so early life makes them

some other kind of sport, I really be-

"Boys, how I feel about it is
this: Keep on plugging away
NO DONATIONS

will be the
This program is another creation of the Boy Scouts, but

general is to be taken up in advance at

TRAIN GRINDS 3 HARRISBURG MEN TO DEATH

revealed the cause of the tragedy.

BODY OF DR. OLSON TO BE EXHUMED

MUTILATED BODIES LEFT IN OLD CAVE

which they are known to have
incred more

Search for the men was fruitless
period their disappearance

J. A. HUNTER DIES SUNDAY

John Arthur Hunter died at his

are deceased except two half broth-
ers.

March 10, 1851, he was married to
Miss Mary Elizabeth Ord, at Horton
church, Blythe Parson, England.

To this union were born six children
—four sons and two daughters. All
of whom are mourning the death of
their father except one son who pre-
ceded him in death.

FARM ADVISER IS EMPLOYED

A. deWerff.

Everett E. Gilch of Spencer, Indiana
has been employed by the Executive
Committee of the Franklin County
Farm Bureau to succeed H. A. de
Werff as Farm Adviser in this county.
Mr. Gilch is a graduate of the University of Illinois with a degree
in Agriculture in 1916
several years after grad-

tion of these years service as County
Agent in Owen county, Ind., and

has won for the work in Franklin
County.

Mr. Gilch will take up his duties as

Charles "Peggy" Walker was sen-
tenced to the State Farm at Vandalia

is still in England.
For many years the deceased resid-

five children, seven grand children
the sterling friendship.

mort this morning for the violation
of the parking laws.

tum pulled on the north side of Kan-
tian street, may the news stand

that several such cases had been raised

traffic ordinance should be adopted.

If you are looking for a home for

cemetery. No one was at the scene
at the time. It is known that the
still posted snipers in trees
ing the place.

TWO DEAD AS FEUD RESULT

No Arrests Follow Ar

MARTIN, Ky., February 2
as others, including two

Many bargains in new and

S. L. Yarwood of West Frankfort
This is a mutual fire insurance com-
pany, and the officials are West

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22, at the Postoffice at

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ssion con.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 Judge E. G. Dial was called part in what he says was one of the most beautiful and elaborate wedding ceremonies he had ever had the honor of performing.

The Judge states that although he had previously been informed of the wedding, he never imagined the affair would be anything like as elaborate. Last Friday morning, the Judge relates a young, well dressed man of foreign birth came to his office and inquired if he would be home Sunday. Being informed in the affirmative the young man told the Judge he would come to the home, with his bride and wanted him to marry them.

Yesterday in spite of the disagreeable weather and heavy rain, about one o'clock, five car loads of young folks all dress in the very best of fashion drove up in front of the Judge's home, and the bride groom accompanied by eleven gentlemen in. Everything went off just like clock works the Judge reported each person doing his or her part in a manner indescribable, that the wedding ceremony had been rehearsed.

After everything had been put in

Chief of Police Elmo Wilkerson was called to a home in the Southeast part of town last night about 8 o'clock, where it was reported an unknown man entered the home and had terrified the members of the family.

The men in the house immediately threw their guns on the stranger, and called the police. When Chief Wilkerson arrived, he found the man apparently intoxicated, setting close to the intruder. The man was brought to the city hall, placed in jail before Police Magistrate

Bowen told the officers that he had two glasses of wine and puffing his strong pipe had put him pretty much under the weather, and that he did not know where he was when he left the house where he was arrested.

FIRE DESTROYS STEEL CITY HOME SATURDAY NIGHT

[illegible] Mary Balch both of
The entire party,
men were elegantly dressed, and to make the occasion more [illegible] carried with them a [illegible] beautiful flowers.

Those accompanying the bride

[illegible] May Not Be Blamed For Lack of

foundations Southern Illinois schools are not so satisfactory."

the proper man
problems has done are
disease and reduce m
the last fifty years, said Dr. E. Bl
school chief of the division of public
health instruction, who said the fa

be made mor
by diligent

Pencil Work

Is Beatie admitted her sister's
is has better
easier and after entertaining him a

[illegible] ly the morning before for a visit with relatives at

[illegible] that caught fire from some unknown

The world
might not be good f
in many cities befo

PILES —RECTAL CLINIC—

LOVELY HAIR

that were wanted.
When any colors stay, as it surely must do, and polish passes [illegible]
[illegible] know what is so irritating to [illegible]

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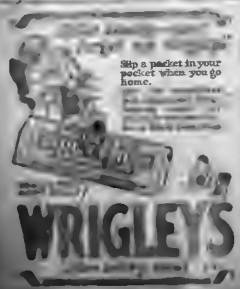

Use Fertilizers Found on Farms

NGHILLD, Ill., February 23.—[illegible] division of the [illegible] ched by three [illegible] M. W. H. McDougal [illegible] Illinois coal men [illegible] Richard Addams [illegible]

[illegible] clerce here today.

In support of this statement McDougall pointed to many letters which are native to this state. There, he said [illegible] the epidemic of [illegible]

[illegible] ing to [illegible] that the listen-fam[illegible] ous obtains some organic food of the [illegible] ulses and that the latter obtain [illegible] ther, at least, from the fungus."

[illegible] the subject [illegible] dents in chemistry [illegible]

[illegible] ge M Browne, Southern [illegible] ois Normal University, [illegible]

[illegible] ve school and enter the [illegible] ulks of life; another

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Purchasing Agent—
Art Directors—Wife"

Just a slim girl, maybe, or a motherly woman with sweet eyes and white hair—but what a responsibility is hers!

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Advertisements are the wise counsellors in the spending of money that the clever homewife heeds daily.

HAILEY

MT. VERNON MAN

INFERNO WRITTEN BEFORE PRINTING

Fame of Great Italian Poet

who were invited by his ... to help celebrate his birthday.

at the home of Mr. Fehman's uncle, B. J. Flunch 508 Smith street. Rev.

Many surprises will await the visit-

thought Illinois to be a prairie state will be surprised to find on display

Redmen Park near Goreville, Ill.,

mightly rock formations, deep caverns water falls, and cliffs make it a point

shrubs, vines and trees of many varieties.

Giant rock formations about Savanna give this park of the Mississippi Banks a peculiar charm, for there is found old Indian Head, and the Twin Sisters. Old Indian Head is a giant rock formation that is well know to tourists for the "Indian Head Trail" ... name from this rock.

Old Mill near Kankakee, Great ..., Spoon River, just above the ...ge of Bernadotte is the stream ...mortalized by Edgar Lee Masters. The Springfield group include, Lin... Monument, his old home, and ...points of historical interest that ...dear to the heart of every Illi...

The Woman's Club, has charge of ...s exhibition, and there will be a ... pictures to those who take advantage of the opportunity.

There will be no charge.

Mrs. Victor Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Weay,

Dr and Mrs. E. H. Campbell, Mr and Mrs Theodore Summers, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Ward, Mr. and

CLUB MEMBERS INVITED

The members of the Benton Woman's club are invited to attend the Good Fellowship Day and Health Conference of the Education, Public Health, and Child Welfare Department of the Twenty-second District of the Illinois Federation of Woman's Clubs, to be held in East St. Louis on February 25 and 26. Each session of both days boasts star features. On Wednesday speakers of national reputation will appear at the noon luncheon and at the evening lecture.

PYTHIAN SISTERS TO HOLD PARTY

The Pythian Sisters will have a party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Harten at 401 Pope Street, for ... away from the city. Every member is invited and expected to be there.

Wednesday evening is the regular meeting and some new members are to be taken into the order. A covered dish luncheon will be served.

the home of Mrs. Fred Hedler on

Every member is urged to be present.

CLASS TONIGHT

has been called for Monday (tonight) at 7 o'clock. All those wishing to try

I. O. O. F. WILL MEET TONIGHT

There will be a special meeting of Charity Lodge 284 I. O. O. F. tonight at 7 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.—Wm. McGlomm, N. G.

W. P. Hill was called to DuQuoin this morning on account of the serious illness of his brother, Robert Hill, who suffered a stroke of paralysis.

NOTICE

John Payne's Sunday school class will have their February birthday party at the home of Mrs. Walter Alvis on West Church Tuesday evening at 6:00 o'clock. Every member is

dish, bread and butter sandwiches.

for Saturday by the death of her mother, Mrs. Martha Snyder.

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bushel bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed 38tf

that being the year the invention of

birthplace. Of course, Florentines and others were not strangers to Dante's

most of his fame had been spread by

Two other natives of the city of Florence who did much to advance

Angelo the great sculptor, and Giovanni Boccaccio, author of "The Decameron," who were ardent enthusiasts of the works of Dante. Boccaccio, born only eight years before the poets death, became the first Dante professor.

Michaelangelo became as a boy a profund student of the poet, and later when an unsuccessful appeal was made by the city of Florence to the Pope to sanction removal of Dante's bones from Ravenna to Florence, he was among the first signatories. The poet died at Ravenna, after exile from Florence for political reasons. Altho his death mask was removed from Ravenna to Bargello, a few of his

Ravenna in the monastery of Classe piously preserved in a room filled with

elsewhere at Ravenna is a shrine visited by thousands yearly.

"Inferno," one of the three great allegories which form the Divine Comedy, is the basis for a highly dramatic and spectacular film of that name produced by William Fox under the direction of Henry Otto, which will be the attraction at the Capitol Theatre, beginning Tonight.

son, Mrs. Clara Summers and Miss

Saturday and spent the week end.

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Wardland Dairy, phone 280tf

Mr. and Mrs. Will Keigley spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs.

ing from a three weeks trip to Ark-

New Dress Prints, special 49c 42t2

NOTICE

William Scarborough and F. J. Allen have opened an automobile re-

of February, 1925.—James Piland,

Paul Whittington returned to Pa-

few days in Benton. 42t2

Ruffled Curtain Scrim, special 15c

C. F. Mann spent Sunday with friends in Marion.

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bushel bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store. 28tf

shapes for women and children, all kinds of hat trimmings. Have your old hat made new. 507 North McLeansboro. 45t6

Wendall McAfoos of Whittington was a visitor in Benton yesterday.

Ruffled Curtain Scrim, special 15c yard, at Glassman's Variety Store.

Friends of Gus Sullivan who was injured in an automobile accident in Champaign several weeks ago will be

nicely after an operation. He is enter-

radio which was made and installed by Ray Keil.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Martin were

hams drove to Carbondale yesterday afternoon to take Brown McCampbell who is employed in the Kroger store there.

Clover, Timothy and Red Top seed

Giles Meads spent Sunday with his parents in Johnston City

J. E. Crisp returned last evening from a several days business trip to

ENOUGH

We will loan your money on good security, 7 per cent time loans, with 5 per cent premium to you and we

Don't forget to see the new Stamped Goods at Glassman's Variety Store. 42t2

Obe Adams has accepted a position in the Kinman brothers barber shop. Obe is a good barber and his many friends will be glad to know that he ... located in this city again.

Hear Ida M. Tarbell at the Baptist ...y evening at 8:00

E. J. Ward of the Cline-V... was called to his home in ...ysboro by the illness of his

H. E. Kimmel of DuQuoin transacted business in Benton today.

Dressed chickens, ready to cook every Saturday. Give us your order.—Seebers.

Today's Radio Program

WGR, Buffalo—6 music; 7:25-10 mus.-

WCX, Detroit Free Press—7 30 musi-

WWJ, Detroit—6 concert, 7 30 string quartet, artists.

popular.

...pres, 10 orchestr...

frolic

WOS, Jeff City—8 address, piano re-

WOAW, Omaha—6 organ, 6:30 or-

WCAE, Pittsburg—6:45 special; 7:30 concert; 8 string ensemble; 10 myth

KDOA, Seattle—8:45 program, 10:30

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The Benton Evening News

Benton Junior High Champions at Greenville Tournament

HEROES GIVEN LOUD WELCOME AT ASSEMBLY

Claim Championship of all Southern Illinois; Treated Royally at Greenville.

While the Benton High ...hool basket ball team was lo... the Littl Ten Championship Saturday night the Junior High school lads were ... Greenville, winning the honors of the ... of last week. They defeated the Gre...ville five in the finals, 15-9, in what they claim was the easiest game of the tournament for them

In their first game they met ... defeated the East St Louis s... 22-3, then in the semi-finals Saturd... afternoon they took out the stong Centralia team, 15-8, ... the finals with Greenville, coming Saturday night

The locals were badly crippled thru the illness of one of their r... and the lameness of Captain Cecil Foulk, but despite all this, with the ...d of the splendid list of subs they were able to bring home the trophy of first honor

Superintendent Gordon S. Wooters this morning brought the entire team and the Coach Prof. Elmer Dillon to the Webster School assembly, ... they were officially wel... ... by the student body and lustily cheered as they took their places "up front" and blushingly and silently admitted their heroic work

None of the boys were urged to say anything, but instead Coach Dillon gave a resume of the tournament ha...penings, telling in a brief way how they were received in Greenville, how they were treated by the splendid Greenville people, and of the complimentary remarks made to them after they had shown the best playing in the tournament

Each player was introduced by the coach, and in turn each one smiled looked down at his feet, and probably thought: "Gee, what's the use of this?"

Dempsey Shepherd was first. Dempsey didn't get to play in all the gam... Prof. Dillon said, but played an excellent game when he was on the floor He appeared in the lineup against Greenville and had three field baskets to his credit when the final score was announced.

Jimmy Miller was dubbed the "talking machine" of the bunch, by Coach Dillon, and here the mentor took time to praise the work of his subs, who have made it possible to deve... ... the winning team of the south half of Illi...

Cecil Thompson, husky center ... the pick of the officials for all-... of the tourna... was next ... He was the ... the tournament

Then came Captain Cecil Foulk, for... ...nd all-star forward ...lection ... Despite h... ... was game to the last and played ... with ... d not get to play, but ... ...sed just as highly He ... had he been able to be in the games

Then there was Barney Mund ... according to the report given by Mr. Dillon.

Curtis Scarborough was an al-star election on the second team for guard The first place was given an East St. Louis player, and while there was naturally a feeling that Curtis should have had the place, the local players and the coach were too manly to hold it against the decision of an official Curtis made a long shot from his own foul line against the Centralia team that won the admiration of all who saw him.

Horace Jones won new honors at Greenville. Not so much for his playing but the way he helped to take ... of the other players. His motherly care caused him to be dubbed "Mother Jones," a name which he will probably carry all through his ...hool life.

Then there was Carl Huth the comedian, whose wit helped to keep the boys in good spirits. He was always ready to go on the floor, too, when need of his services came.

Coach Dillon told a very amusing story of how a ...reenville merchant had fixed up a window display for the ... The display consisted of ... apple tree in the show window on which was hanging an apple for each ...

Greenville's apple was the largest ... the tree, and hung in the hiher ...ches. All other schools but Benton had medium sized apple hanging in easily conspicuous places. But Benton's apple was a wee fellow, hanging near the bottom. It was so small that the Benton boys called it a crab apple.

They were at a loss to know why they had thus been discriminated against by the progressive merchant, ... be dropped to the floor. I placed a small apple near the bottom for Benton so that when it falls off it will not burst," is the explanation they received

Before each game, the boys would stop and tell the jovial merchant that they were going down to the school and shake that apple tree. And each time they would return after a game to look for their apple. When th... left Greenville all the apples lay ... the floor with the exception of the wee Benton fruit, and the good loser had placed it in the topmost branches from where Greenville, the apple of his eye had fallen

Benton now claims the Junior High School championship of all Southern Illinois. There is a tournament to be played at Carbondale, but inasmuch as the locals have already defeated all the stronger teams that will compete there, they feel that they can justly lay claim to this title.

It is possible, however, Supt. Wooters stated this morning that a challenge will be issued to the team winning the Carbondale tournament in event that anyone wishes to contend further for the honors the local school claims.

Billiard Champs In Unusual Match

Willie Hoppe, Wonder Player, ... Defeating Champion Bob Cannefax in 600-Point Match

WILLIE H... ...ORGE MOORE, BOB CA...NEFAX

Here are the two principals and the referee in one of the most unusual billiard matches ever stag... ... Willie Hoppe 18.2 champion, and Bob ... three-cushion king, during their recent 600 point match at the angle game in New York City

While the past... is still new to the marvel Hoppe, he won the "unofficial" three-cushion title by beating Cannefax, 600 to 56

BAPTIST BOYS WIN TWO GAMES

Last Friday night the Agoga Basket ball team of the First Baptist Sunday school journeyed to Ewing College, and played the college team, coming out on the long end of a 14 to 8 score.

This was an excellent game—all the boys played a good game, Flack being the high point man with four field goals and two free pitches.

The second game was between the second team, and the academy five of the college. These boys also brought home the bacon to the tune of 18 to 6. Several car loads of Baptist rooters accompanied the boys and did their part in the fracas

On Tuesday night, March 3rd these same teams will hook up again in the Baptist gym here. If you want to see two good games remember the date

Tomorrow night, the Agoga's will play the Methodist Sunday school team from Christopher in the Baptist gym at 7.30. Adm. 10 and 15 cents.

Agoga line-up ...

Second Team—Lewis, center; Vise and oMoneyham forwards, Warren and Whittington, guards, Knight and Mooneyham guards

BREAKS RECORD

Bill Jacobson of Browns Sets Mark for Outfielders

BILL JACOBSON

Despite his great size, Outfielder Bill Jacobson of the St. Louis Browns is one of the outstanding stars at his position. Jacobson, considerably better than six feet tall and weighing around 200, is known by the rather inappropriate nickname of "Baby Doll."

He is very fast for a big man and last season set a new record for outfielders by making 488 putouts, breaking the former record held by Sam Rice who had 454.

LOGAN WINS PRELIMINARY

Ina Not Counted Out Until Final Minutes of Play.

In a preliminary to the Benton-Carbondale game Saturday night the Logan High school won from Ina by a 9-11 score. The close score indicates a far better game than was actually played. Poor passing and hazardous shooting by both teams made the game slow and dull, and it was no until the last of the contest when the outcome was so much in doubt that the game really took on the aspect of a thriller.

At the end of the first half the score stood 7-6 infavor of Ina, and things up to that time seemed to be breaking in favor of the lads from Jefferson county. In the third quarter there was but one point made, and this tied Logan up for the honors

In the last quarter Logan began to show the stuff that has made them a winning team all season, although the scoring was not heavy. Heard began to hit his stride and caged two field goals durin this period. The five ... defense was used by both teams, and long shots were forced, but few of them being effective. Coffman was the high score man for Ina, but his playing would have been much better had be worked the ball nearer the basket before attempting hazardous shots.

When the smoke of battle had cleared away, the score stood 9-11 for Lo... Logan had defeated Ina by a much greater score earlier in the sea...

It is expected that Ina will make some Class B teams take notice when ...hey play here in the district tournament next month. The Ina boys ... play on a floor only when they are away from home, their home ...s and practice being on an ... side court. The people of Ina recently built a splendid new school building but left out the all-important part of athletics, it seeming to be the opin... of many of the citizens there that this is an unimportant part of school work.

There is much good material there for a winning team, and if they had a good floor to play on they would ... doubtedly develop a strong team.

CARBONDALE CINCHES FLAG IN LITTLE TEN

Defeat Crippled Maroons in a Thrilling Game Here Saturday Night.

Benton's plucky Maroons missed their last chance of winning the Little Ten Basket Ball championship Saturday night when they dropped a thriller to Carbondale, and thus let the lads from the University city in on the top rung of the ladder and walk away with the title by a 23-16 score.

Crippled through the loss of their two regular guards, Lowery and Doty, and Fry having only been out of a sick bed a few days, the Maroons went in with all the fight they had left in them and played a bang-up good game against fearful odds. There is no alibi Carbondale might have won had all the regulars been in the game at their best. They have a splendid team, and when we can't see our home team win such a coveted place, we are glad to see it go to such a clean bunch of ...

It was without a doubt the cleanest game that has been played on the local floor this year. The fouls called ...er side were at a minimum and it was just good fast basket ball all the way through. Carbondale is going to win other laurels before the district and sectional tournaments are over, or else we are badly mistaken.

First Quarter

McGowan started the scoring for Carbondale, then the score was soon tied when Ross caged one for Benton. Then Fry made a pretty basket from center, unassisted. Then came Bridges for Carbondale who dropped in two field baskets in rapid succession. Fry counted again for Benton and Samuels added a ... Foul Taylor for holding and McGowan missed the free throw. Hall scored or Carbondale and the quarter ended 8-8

Second Quarter

Hall started the scoring for the visitors in this period with a pretty field basket and added another point when he tossed a free pitch after a foul had been called on Taylor. Hickman replaces Taylor McGowan scores again for Carbondale and Benton calls time out. Bridges rings up another for the champions and this is followed by a field goal each for Samuels and Fry. Carbondale 15, Benton 12.

Third Quarter

Fry started the scoring for the locals in this period and had his team within one point of the visitors until Bridges caged another for Carbondale Carbondale takes time out. Fast plays and close guarding were the features of this quarter, although there was little scoring done. McGowan scored for Carbondale as the quarter ended; Carbondale 19 Benton 14.

Fourth Quarter

A personal was called on Lutz but Ross missed the free throw. McGowan scores for Carbondale. Tedrow was sent in for Gassaway, but played only a minute until 'Gas' was sent back in. McGowan scored for the visitors, and Ross wound up the scoring with a pretty basket for the Maroons, leaving the score 23-16 for Carbondale.

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Above are the pairings for the High school District Basket Ball tournament which will be played here March 5, 6, and 7

Game ... Thursday evening, and Game No. 2 will follow the same night at 8:45 ... day night, and Game No. ...

The semi-finals will be played ...urday afternoon, the first, or No. 10 at 1 o'clock, and the second, Game No. 11, at 2:15. The finals will come Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

THE 13th HOLE

One Time When Walter Hagen Found the Hoo-doo Hole Brought Him Nothing But Good Luck

(By Joe Williams)

British golfdom will never forget a shot Walter Hagen executed from an abyssmal bunker at the fourteenth hole at Hoylake last summer when he won the title over there for the second time.

But before detailing the shot, mention should be made that during the first nine holes of the last round Hagen had tossed away a hatful of strokes, every one worth a princely ransom. Now he found himself in a most desperate situation.

"How do we stand?" asked Walter ... the homeward journey. "I want a 36. Well I shall have to hustle."

And hustle he did for the first three ...ward holes. Then came the thirteenth. Here he almost missed his mashie shot to the green and the ball limped into the nearest bunker "Well the great American is through," voted the gallery.

And so it seemed when the position of the ball was investigated. ... ball was ... ...xplored territory. Some one had gone along before.

And in passing a trade-mak was left behind. It was no bantam weight who had extricated himself therefrom. This was plainly evident. Hagen's ball nestled in a heel mark of terrifying proportions.

But Hagen's face, dark and tanned, gave no outward sign of displeasure. Quickly he made up his mind to play an "explosion" shot with backspin. A four would do no good. Hagen must have a three. That meant the ball must not only be shot from the trap but dropped into the hole, all in one swing.

Getting a firm footing in the pit ... the ... seemed passing over the staid English landscape at the moment. Up came the ball and down it landed on the green four feet from the hole. It had found the line exactly and on it rolled into the cup.

That was the outstanding shot in ...

G. L. LITTLE GOES TO FLORIDA

T. L. Little who has for some time past been employed by the Jones Construction Company as foreman, leaves ... r Jacksonville, Fla., where he has accepted a position as demonstrator for the Fordson factory at that place. Tommy ought to know how to demonstrate the Fordson having had quite an extended experience with them. The Evening News wishes him the best of success.

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MAJOR GENERAL WILSON DEAD

WILMINGTON, Delaware, February 23.—(By A. P.)—Major General James H. Wilson, United States army, retired, last of the corps commanders in the American army during the civil way, died at his home here today.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams

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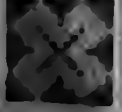

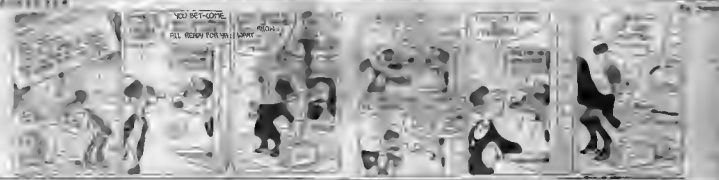

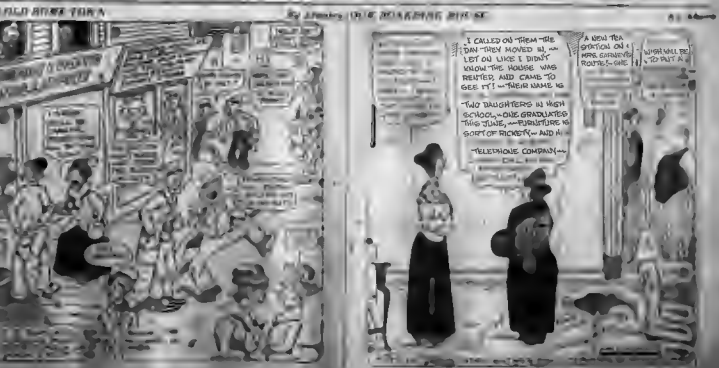

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FAMINE STALKS ON ERIN'S GREEN ISLE

No Turf For the Fire, and the Wee Children are Cryin'

By MILTON BRONNER

GALWAY, February 26.—Hunger sits down at table as an unwelcome and bitterly feared guest and Cold keeps him company in thousands of cabin homes today in western Ireland.

That is what a partial potato crop h...

...up against the real thing ...h in Ireland. Listen ... Bartley Connelly—

... curious sing ... ho...

...id the black rain fell. All day ...y day. All spring it fell and ...ll summer and all the rest of the ...ys the rain, the dull roar ... sorrow's sorrow, ... washed away and ...urf melted away with ... for the pot. No! ...rs. Emptiness and bla... in the house. And the children ... because of the hunger and the

...ds of the east and found ...n the west which tempted

...bin is the usual ...tone walls bad... one room 20 by 10 ... one door stands open so light ... penetrate. The floor is the bare, rocky earth. The whole family and ... chickens—when they have them—...nd the dog ... his shelter

...rs. Connelly te... away working on a neighboring and ...f farm. He gets a job there t... his total earnings

...Connelly, 45, must support himself, his wife and eight children. Also, for this wretched place he calls home he must pay 18 shillings a year rental.

The housewife—with never a word of complaint or of cadgi... the visitors within. On the hearth two pieces of turf flame feebly, ci...ling their acrid smoke. In the corner I see a bundle of rags. They move. They are children cuddling against each other in a vain search for a little warmth. They are Mi... Thomas, 3, and they are ... petticoats as are so many boys in this section, even those as old as 14. ...ara way, Mrs. Connelly

The woes of the whole west Ireland famine region are written in the face of this sad and fr... petticoat b...

...postage stamp patches of land between rocks, boulders and bogs, carefully fertilized with rotting seaweed. When the saints are favorable the cab... dwellers have potatoes, bread and fish for food and a ... by the turf fires on the... But this year nothing has ... And although so far in a ... trip up and down the western c... of Ireland I have not heard of

...where there ... sold at six p... Wood f... ...at in by th...

...housand school children a...

...is to see has then ... they have been ...n their eyes

The present trouble has been a test of the Irish Free state government, ... Fairness requires that it be ... that the government has risen to the occasion. Last December, ... what was coming, the ... allocated 500,000 pounds for relief over until th...

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BENTON MEN WIN NEW TRIAL

PUT $500 FINE ON JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Thompsonville Man is Given Verdict When He Charged Abuse By Official.

E. S. Bundy, Thompsonville postmaster was defendant in an unusual suit heard in Circuit court here yesterday. It was a trespass action, growing out of an official act of Mr Bundy as Justice of the peace of Cave town- ept. 6, 1924, when Mr Bundy had Everott Absher before him as a

The jury that heard the evidence awarded a verdict of $500 in favor of Absher, who was suing Bunday for his actions

Absher set up the complaint that when he was taken before Bundy that he was violently abused by the official, and that he was called vile names and was later remanded to jail. Bundy contended in his defense that he never went beyond his official rights.

County Judge S. M. Ward and H F Knox represented the complainant while Mr Bundy was represented by H. E. Morgan.

Another case against Mr. Bundy, also growing out of his official actions ... of the peace, is set for a hearing for Feb. 26. This is brought by John Jones, of Thompsonvil ... Mr Bundy is charged

... ing of propaganda that injur ... plaintiff, Jones

Mr Bundy claims that the store was insolvent and that he was within his rights when the action was tak

SENATE TO GET POSTAL BILL

Agreed to in Substantially Same Form as Passed By House.

...INGTON, February 24.—(By ... rate increase bill in substantially the form as passed by the House was agreed to today by conferees on the Senate and House measure

The only reported modification in the House measure was made in second class rates the conferees acceding to the lower rate.

In the form agreed to by the conferees the bill would increase postal salaries as of January 1 of this year and the rate increases would become effective next April 15

...epresentative Kelly, Republican of Pennsylvania said the bill as agreed to would raise sixty million dollars or two million dollars less than the original bill. He plans to call it up tomorrow in the House

Marrying Squire Unites Couple

...ited in marriage a fo... West Frankfort. The limited knowledge of the English language ... embarrassment during the ... hen the contracting ... to execute various com... the 'squire. For instance, ... that they join right ... d their hands ... s. At any rate the ... parties were Anton ... Mary Ambrahuery, 30 ... Frankfort.

CHRISTOPHER'S POLITICAL POT STARTS TO ...

Mayor O. H. Lew... Seeking Re-Election; Will Have Opponent In April Election.

While Mayor O. H. ...ewis of Christopher will not have the p... second Tuesday in Mar... go up against a comp... tion which will follow a month later Mayor Lewis is seeking to suc... himself and his friends are ... that his record durin... past two years as head of the C... opher municipal administrat... put him over for a second

His opponent in the election w... be either Arthur Giles or Dr. Petty Christopher dentist, both of whom are ... the nomination on the Labor ... Lewis is running on the ...cket, unopposed for

Those opposing the re-election of Mayor Lewis take issue with him on the great amount of public improv... ments he has put through during his ...rm, while those in favor of more ...ovements heartily endorse what he has done and will help to re-el... him for that reason

F... City Clerk H. E. ... is running for re-election unopposed on either ticket. The fact that he is ... opposed ... proof of h... the confidence of the ... ple in his efficiency in ...

...re three cand... Treasurer and as a co-incidence ... the two leading automo... ...of the city. Wm Gamber ... keeper at the Dixie Gara... candidates and the ot... ...klin salesman ... Company Boi... ...nd Mr. Gamber ar...

...icket. T... candidate in Surue... Silkwood. ...cer for the Ol... ...pration. who is running ...posed on the Labor ticket.

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ward two Wm. Gamber,

There is also a candidate in e... of the wards on the Labor Ticket They are Guy B... Davis, ward ... ward three.

WILL BANQUET BOYS OF GRADE SCHOOL TEAM

Will Meet With Rotary Club

A banquet is to be given at the ... for the vic... s eighth grade basket ball team ... tured the honors at the Green

Members of the faculty and a few invited guests will be the only ones present besides the players and their c... Elmer Dillo

... Rotary Club ... to extend an invitation to Coach Dillon, his warriors and City Superintendent Gordon S. Wooters, to meet with the Rotarians at their next meeting, which will be held at the Baptis... church next Tuesday noo...

E. R. Hampton, manager of the ...ton Ice Cream and Bottling Company together with John L. Davidson, F... W. Reed, Hoyle Summers and Taymond Fulghum will leave tonight for Chicago to be in attendance at the National Coca Cola convention there February 25 to 27.

SAYS SHEPHERD LIED

...d ... Shepherd, foster-father ... r lover, kept them fr... ...g by telling her that both parties had to be present when a license was secured. She found ... be untrue too late to wed ...jack, she says. Below, ...e Olson, who asked the proba... Miss Estelle Gebling, ...rse, which the latter turned over to the court.

LAY JUDGE FRIER TO REST

Hosts of Sorrying Friends Pay Last Respects.

A great crowd of sorrowing friends ...d relatives this morning paid their last earthly tribute to Judge N A Frier, when they assembled for the funeral services at the home on South Jackson street, and followed the remains to their last resting place at the Masonic and Odd Fellows ...tery. Mr. Frier passed away Sunday

Following is a very appropriate obituary prepared by Judge T J. Layman, and clippings from Shawneetown newspapers, published ... left that city to make his home in

"To live for eighty years and leave a record as a useful and an upright ... a distinction attained by few. ... the exception of seven years the life of N. A. Frier was spent in ...storic City of Shawneetown ... parents removed from his birthplace ... White County when he was two years of age, he having been born on September 5th, 1844.

"He attended the public schools of that city and learned the trade of a marble cutter. He followed this occupation for many years, ... prominent in it. On December

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GLORIA NOT OUT DANGER

Had "Better Night" But is Still in Serious Condition.

Gloria Swanson, film star, who underwent an operation here last week, p... ed a better night, her husband told friends this afternoon. He added, however, that he doctors did not yet consider her out of danger. Her husband is in constant attendance at h... bedside.

Miss Swanson had a relapse Saturday morning but rallied and was stronger today than before the crisis, according to Major Bell, general man... ager of the ... she is engaged

three specialists ... the operat... the night of February 17 and they ... her condition is grave but ... is p... reasing as well as could be expecte...

... Interim Chief

WASHING...

...speaker of the Indiana ... resentatives has been

WANT YOUNG'S SUCCESSOR FOR CHILD NEGLECT

Miners Allow Death Claim of Ora Thomas Member of Herrin Local.

MARION February 24.—(By A. P.) ...—The death ...aim of Ora Thomas who ... at Herrin ... ed by the ... of America ...

... was a memb... union 1248 of Herrin.

Federal agents ... busy in Benton Monday ... that Young had ... and Franklin cou...es and which had been held for use in ... Sheriffs also were busy at th... time look...ng for Burr Owe... took up Young's work as ... had been ... ng, the blind widow on ...

...announcement which was serv... him in Herrin Monday.

THREE KILLED IN WRECK OF FAST TRAIN

More Names May Added to List When Complete Check is Made.

HARRISON N. J. February 24. (By A. P.)—Three persons were kil...

New York Ph... on the Pennsylvania railroad crashed into the rear of the ... ington train at Manhattan tran... d.

...later caught fire. The dead were employees of the railroad

The list of ...alities is expected to be increased by ... after a complete check is made.

MRS. BLANCHE SCOTT DEAD

Succumbs at Home on West Main St. Following Long Illness.

... an extended illn...

...ren are Mrs. Pearl D... ...Edith Griffith, both of Bent... of Waltonville and Hol...

...services will take pla... 2 o'clock Thursday ... ed. by interment at th... Mason... and Odd Fellows ceme...

CITY DADS SET DEAD LINE FOR WHEEL TAX

Feb. 28 Last Day of Grace; Police Chief Now Making Check of Delinquents

Last night's meeting of the city com... ...ers passed very uneventful, ... practically no qu... before the admin... ... Aft... few minor questions were ... bills allowe...

...upheld by the Circuit Court in December some 600 license fees have been ... be calculated at ... Commissioners ... on which ... been paid ... the Commissioners say ... t be paid, and they have set Sat...

After that date all persons who have so far failed to comply with the ... paying the wheel tax will be ... itional fin...

... work any undue hard... ...so have instruct...

...and locate a... the tax has not been paid. ... started this morning ... w days the officers will ... all persons who have

...he wheel tax the ... instructed to stop ...

...hat all ...

...se tag on the fr... ...s to avoid all unnec...

...n ghts ... who had ... paid th... and had secured the ... it on ... their car for the reason that ... y did not want any one to know w... re they

...and ... ...yed from the front of ca...

Fees ma... e paid and license tags obtained from City Clerk Joe M...chel... at the re... February ... fine will be imposed.

EWING COLLEGE TO MEET TEAM OF DEBATORS

Preliminary Will Be Held in College Chap... Tonight

...ative team will meet the ...rmative team at Oakland while the Oakland City affirm... be ... base will n...

PROSECUTOR HAD AGREED TO GIVE NOTICE

New Hearing on G... Toting Charge ... Seven Men Will ... Held Next Tu...

...nton and West Frankfort ... who are charged in the county ... Jackson County with carrying concealed weapons, had an inning in court ... Murphysboro yesterday when they were granted the privileges of having a hearing on the charges against them instead of answering to a forfeiture of their bonds for non appearance ... court there last Friday when their case was called for trial.

The defendants with their at... were in Murphysboro yesterday and got the misunderstanding st... ened out. According to C. B. ... of this city, one of the ... they placed a witness on the ... yesterday who testified that the Ja... son county States Attorney ... agreed to notify their attorneys wh...

...have admitted agreeing to ... said he had forgotten to ... tice. The court then ordered ... the defendants be given another chance to defend themselves, and ... cases were tentatively set for Tue...

C. B. McMahan, Cay King, Everett Stewart, Dory Melar, and Gary Isaacs of this city, and Winter R. Wilson, city court clerk, and Wiley ... of West Frankfort are the other ... fendants. They are under bonds ...

They were arrested at Dowell last August when they were returning home from a Klan celebration at Du... Quoin. Guns are said to have been found on some of the defe... ...they were taken to Murphysboro ... who, the local men say, treated them ...ery roughly.

The hearing next Tuesday will attract much attention, as the prosecu... ...or for Jackson County will probably attempt to show that the men in the party who were carrying arms, had not legal rights for so doing.

A conviction was obtained at Mur... ... last week on a charge sim... ...ilar to these.

Ebert Undergoes Operation For Appendicitis

BERLIN, Feb. 24.—(By A. P.)—...resident Ebert underwent an oper... ...n for appendicitis at 1 o'clock ... in a sanitarium ...

...required more than one hour but it was successful, and that the President's condition was considered ...sfactory.

...top of gall... trouble from ...

...hould ... in the

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Money

National wealth of the United ... less than 187 billions in 1912 to nearly 321 billions in 1922. This last figure, says our Census Bureau, represents just about what the "total mass of goods in the United States would have cost bought piecemeal on December 31, 192 ... of 72 per cent

On the surface ... However, several factors ent... tion of the dollar since 1912. The C... the actual increase in physical wealth ...

Our increase in richs, therefore, shows little ... ran population growth

Waste

If someone can solve our distribution ... of living will come down—no doubt about it

Economists agree that one of industry's biggest problems ... reduction of distribution cost. You get an idea of the magnitude of the problem when you learn that the workers engaged in distribution increased eight times as fast from 1910 to 1920 as those directly concerned in production.

Herbert Hoover says there's too much waste in our distr...

Some of these wastes ... tions; seasonal variations in production; lack of ... ards; inadequate transportation.

Thrift

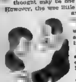
... 1924, there were in the United S... ns with total mem... eight million, the New York Trust Co. informs ...

An increase of 10 per cent over the prev... number of associations and their members.

Rapid growth of these institutions is one of the ... features of the trend toward greater participation by wage earners in the fruits of capital

Effect of this growth ... n in thrift

Reasoning



LET'S make this a sort of a friendly-like chat that is meant for just mother and dad. Perhaps it's a wasted idea, at that, for this thought may be one that you ... However, the wee little folks of today are always worth writing about, and the spirit that moves me directs that I ... bound to come out.

... what is right and what is wrong, so it's easy for us to go right. That isn't so true of the juvenile ... turn on the light.

... seems, for a youngster who errs, and ofttimes refuses to mind, to do all the deviltry things that he dares when the warning he gets isn't kind.

Remember that youngsters ... wild in their thoughts about things they are meeting. A queer-working thing is the mind of a child, and it seldom responds to a beating. When you try it, your child soon is gaining. They learn to do right as they learn to depend on the right in parental explaining.

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

State of Illinois, Franklin County, ss.

In the Circuit Court, May Term, 1925.

James Redden

vs.

Jennie Redden—In Chancery

Affidavit of non-residence of Jennie Redden impleaded with the above ... ed defendant James Redden has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County ... notice is therefore hereby given to the ... sident defendant that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court, on the Chancery side thereof, on the 24th day of February A. D. 1925, and that thereupon a summons issued out of said Court, wherein said suit is now pending, returnable on the Fourth Monday in the month of May, next, as is by law required. Now, unless you, the said non-resident defendant above named ... Redden shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court, on ... of the next term thereof, ... den at Benton, in and for said ... ters and things there stated will be taken as confessed, and ... entered against you ... ording to the prayer of said bill

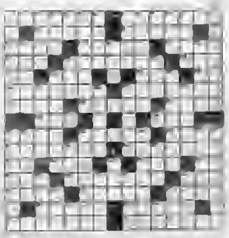
MARY ... RUN...

Benton, Ill., Feb. 24, 1925

Roy C. Martin, Comp. Sol.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

A horticulturist ought to gloat over this puzzle. For there are quite a few words that he might repeat in his daily conversation, but that the ...



HORIZONTAL

A precious stone.
A shallow lake, near the sea.
... who is defeated.

Tropical American pear-shaped fruit
Pertaining to the language of ...

To observe
Slow person.
Snakelike fish.
Within
Drowned.
Chart
Neuter pronoun.
30. Tenth month
33. Landed estate attached to manor

Relieved.
Antlered animal
Seed covering
To sum up.
Compensation for service rendered. (Pl.)

... closing corolla of a flower.
Car
Lasso. (Pl.)
Brown scales which cover stems of ferns.
Part of verb to be
Term of respect.
Dark, viscous fluid.
Preposition of place.
Small wooden nail.
Conducted.

... denoting addition.
More recent in origin.

71. War city. (Pl.)

VERTICAL

Removal of diseased tissue by ...

Narcotic
Molten stone.
Frightened.

Toss gently
To stop
Club of women.
One who travels selling small ...

Portable covered chair.
Broad fin used in swim...
Support for a picture.

57. To swallow
58. Necessity

CITIZENS ASK SCHOOL LIGHT

City Not Able to Maintain More Lights, Mayor Says.

A committee of citizens from the ... Logan and ... ing of the city commissioners last ... asked that the city take ... to have adequate lights ...

... school building at ... thought the offenders might ... of the school grounds were ...

... that the city ... position to have additional lights ... alled at any place. The Central Illinois Public Service Company re... to give additional lights until the city can show that it is financially able to pay for them, and according to the mayor there is not enough rev... to pay for the lights being used.

He suggested that the complainants take the matter up with the Board of Education and ask that that body have lights installed over the doorways of the buildings as has been done by the High School board at the Township High School building.

New Curtains and Draperies

Exquisite Line

Tom Browning

HOUSE AIR COMMITTEE TO REOPEN ...

Want Any Additional Information That Can Throw Light on Situation.

WASHINGTON, February ... (A. P.)—By a vote of five to one the House military air craft committee today reversed its decision of last Saturday and decided to reopen the hearing next Thursday

The only explanation of today's action given by the committee members related to the committee of finance. ... was said that instead of having entirely emptied the ... ar chest as previously supposed, the committee was found to have more than ... left for expens...

... Democrat of Ne... tive committee yesterday but action was defered until today to enable ... on the ...

The committe... tative Perkins ... New Jersey, to notify ... and Wilbur that it would ... air craft that the war and navy departments might be desirous to pre...

Today's Radio Program

6:30 ensemble quintet ... ski program; 10 jazz artists, orche...

WLW, Cincinnati—6 concert, 7 talk; 10 program, 10:40 ...

... 9:20 Sandman, 9 juvenile artist. 10 soprano, pianist, violinist

WWJ, Detroit News ... News orchestra

10:30 ...

KDKA Pit... wick; 10 concert

WGY Schenect... violin, piano, vocal solos; 8 Brun... band, 10 15 organ

Deadly Oyster Germs All Dead Since Last Saturday Night

Now "ain't this a grand and glorious feeling" to know we can again partake of the delicious raw oysters, without fear of contracting some sort of dreadful disease. which the health authorities said we would surely have if we ate raw oysters which they held contained hundreds of deadly germs, which were absolutely all right when fried, stewed, or cooked up in some way, but were almost instant death when taken raw

An orphan "million-heir" died, very suddenly, not long ago, and a number of persons were called into the higher courts to testify as to the probable cause of the death. After the man's history had been investigated thoroughly they found that he had a peculiar liking for the fancy ocean fruit and insisted on eating them raw, which, it was decided was the probable cause of his death.

Then the health authorities decided to protect all other orphans, and issued a proclamation warning every one to leave raw oysters alone.

So, for th... have see... "joints" a glaring warning ... unless y... wanted to commit suicide, and even the cooks and waiters were asked to co-operate with the health authorities, and oust any of their patrons whom they caught attempting to let one of the ... have gone on to where the containers in which the raw oysters were shipped would have been labeled poison, and it might have been necessary to have secured a pint can only with a doctors prescription in very much the same manner as is now required to secure other pints of raw stuff.

But those days of restrictions are past, and the health authorities have decided that the orphan must have died from some other cause, and that raw oysters are not so bad as they might first appear

Now they come along and advise that it was all a mistake, and tell all ... ting places to take down their ... and let the folks eat all the ... they want to.

Such was the information in a letter received today by Dr. Henry Smith local State Health officer from Dr. ... D. Rawlings director of the Department of Public Health, for the state of Illinois.

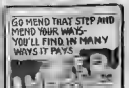
... letter advises that the rules ... gulations of the department re... oysters in Illinois, pro... the 9th, 1925, have ... have all warnings and placards posted in his district removed and notify all raw oyster dealers that the band has been removed.

Now please pass the raw oysters.

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bushel bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store.

Has Experts Guessing

... history experts have been ... of why ...



ESKEW'S LUMBER SEXTETTE

PILES RECTAL CLINIC

the First Methodist Church for this week given promise to being unusual.

The services will begin promptly at 7:30 and close promptly. No one need be hesitancy about attending

tional and uplifting. The subject for discussion will be "Finding God in Our Sense of Duty."

Mrs. Charles Brown will sing. Let us all join heartily in this mid-week worship service.—W. L. Tredman, minister.

INSTALL OFFICERS ON [illegible] ANNIVERSARY

Pearl O. Blair, chaplain; Mrs. Kate [illegible], conductor; Mrs. Thomas Ca-

LEGION AUXILIARY

treasurer, Mrs. A. L. Howell was tied to that office.

was voted to have a covered dish

entertaining the Christopher Auxiliary.

Auxiliary members who are not attending the meetings regularly, are losing a great opportunity for serv-

be doing now than ever before. We need the help of every member.

"For God and Country" we are associated together, and for the aid of the disabled men who gave their all "For God and Country"—and our work is serve-ending.

HOME MILLINERY

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enjoyed a noon-day luncheon at the Country Club. The towns represented

tracia, Salem, Mt. Vernon, Metropolis and Zeigler. Many interesting questions were discussed and both heart members and libraries were benefitted. Many residents have never

and have no idea of the opportunity within reach of one to get good reading matter, and reference work material. One visit will convince

Dr. Vies made a professional trip to Valier yesterday.

Mrs. Christy and son Lyle and wife are on a hunting trip to St. Louis

William Bowers of Dowell underwent an operation at the local hospital this morning

will try a murder case.

Mrs. C. R. Hudelson is spending a few days in East St. Louis the guest of her sister, Mrs. Anna Plaeger.

Mrs. W. H. Gilmore has as her guest Dr. Mae Myers of Philadelphia. Dr. Myers is a member of the faculty of the Woman's Medical College of Philadelphia.

East Nelso of the Benton Township High School faculty was called to his home in Danville today to attend the funeral of his grandfather, who passed away Saturday.

Miss Florence and Wendell Prier who were called home on account of the illness of their father, will return to Champaign today to resume their studies at the University of Illinois.

Subscribe for the Evening News.

host of relatives and friends gathered at the home at 1125 Pale street

Atwood of Johnston City, Mrs. L. A.

Mrs. Hugh Moore, Rev. J. E. Rust of West Frankfort; J. H. Gregory, John Little and son Oda, Mr. and Mrs.

arrived a little late but on time for the eats and proved himself a real Little by the dimple in his chin. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Davis were also a little late but Cliff was declared

received many useful and present from his friends. The day was very pleasantly by all. The guests departed at a late hour hoping to meet with Uncle Ike on many more happy birthdays. Uncle Ike enjoyed the occasion as much as did the guests and although glad for his old friends to call on him at any time, although he has been blind for more than two years, he still loves company.—By One Who Was There.

Mrs. Essa Gillespie and John A Mer-
Gillespie of Shawneetown. Mrs. Will

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Chas Co. resined add to W. Frankfort. Harmon Dows and wife to George Dows; quit claim deed.

Fredrick Adair Collins and wife to

hyl war-deed; $1250; lots 3 and 4 blk

Money-talks, and time will tell, but they don't always say what we like to

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The most remarkable tobacco ever offered to pipe smokers — in quality, in value, in taste

Back about 1870, James N. Williman developed a secret tobacco process which was instant and widespread [illegible] *It pleased a fellow-feeling* [illegible] which just seemed to "go" with a pipe. No one else ever knew his secret until we acquired "Williman's Method" and by its means made Granger Rough Cut

Granger Rough Cut

Slattery Climbs Notch

Buffalo Boy Gets Into Calcium Glare by Setting ... Jack Delaney

... dope by dec ... in the major portion of the ... a dangerous contender in the ...

THE 13th HOLE

An Electrical Storm Helps Guilford On His Way ... at St. Louis

(By Joe Williams)

Jesse Guilford, shambling New England farmer boy, reached the heights at the St. Louis Country Club in 1921. Here ... amateur for the first time ...

Few recall the playing of the 13th hole in that match against Chick Evans, because overhead conditions argued against the gallery. But the scribes remember it, and probably will as long as Guilford is still identified with golf.

The thirteenth there was a long hole. Not many hitters managed to get home in two full shots. But Guilford did, and under unusual ... may be pointed to as changing ...

When Guilford and Evans were ... complexion of the match ... well on their way, matching ... and putts, storm clouds ... fitful flashes of light ... the heavens.

Arriving at the thirteenth ... storm had grown in intens...

... match wa... honor and ... to a ... around Mis... do come larg... had been kno... The ... roma scrib... fact. And ... What had ... shot? ... or advance ... ...

Officers Have High Old Time Taking Piano From Home of Zeigler Family

Sheriff and deputy sheriffs, especially in this part of the country are accustomed to all sorts of conditions, and are called upon to perform all sorts of tasks in connection with their regular duties. Wholesale raids on ...ing establishments, running down and capturing the most desperate criminals, and murderers, and all these hair-raising episodes have become so commonplace with the sheriff's force and is so much the part of their regular work that they hardly consider any of their activities out of ... or worthy of mention ... story.

Deputy Sheriff Jess Lewis ... had a very unexpected and unusual experience that is so much out of the ordinary that the plucky deputy ... had to let the story out.

If he had been called on to raid single handed a dozen notorious lawless joints, or had been sent in to the dense swamps to bring out a desperate murderer, we probably never would have heard of it but when the ... sent to Zeigler on a purely ... to replevin a piano, ... began to take place so fast ... deputy hardly knew what he ... ut, and the seemingly harmless ... sion to Zeigler necessitated ... ng in of additional officers to ... the disturbance.

According to the story told by Deputy Lewis, papers were placed in his hands several days ago with instructions that he go to Zeigler to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McDonald to replevin a piano which their son had bought on the installment plan from a Chicago mail order house. As the deputy understood the story the boy being under age had purchased the piano and had agreed to ... much a month on it. Several pa... had been made when the father decided that the transaction was illegal, his son being a minor, and stopped payment. He then wrote the company that he would take care of the payments, but the company evidently had failed to receive the payments for some time, so issued instructions to their attorney S. M. Ward, to get possession of the piano.

Judge Ward filed the necessary bond, had the papers sworn out placed them in the hands of the sheriff for ... of taking the piano was turned over to Deputy Lewis, who went to Zeigler with no other thought than that he would perform his duty, secure the instrument in the usual ... return to Benton ... h was not the case. On a... g at the McDonald home Deputy Lewis knocked on the door, which was opened by Mrs. McDonald. He inform... business, and start... ed making preparations to take out the piano, but the woman interfered. Planting herself before the deputy she surprised him by saying that in the first place that music box would never leave the house while she continued to draw her natural breath. When informed that it was the demand of the law the lady told the officer she did not care for either him ... the law and that he was in with a bunch of slickers from Benton" who intended taking the piano and selling ...

Taken very much by surprise and not being much of a hand to argue with the woman, Mr. Lewis inquired the whereabouts of Mr. McDonald, he was directed to where the man was working, but before he reached the place the deputy met Mr. McDonald coming home.

When the man of the house was in... blew up right now" and told the offi... r that his star or com... nothing in his young ... he and all the rest of the "crooked officers at Benton" had better never set foot in his house. He said his boy had bought that piano and ... eral dollars had been paid on it and he proposed to keep it in the house, and didn't give a d... what the law tho... about it.

Officer Lewis seeking that he nee... ed reinforcements went up town and secured a truck and chief of police Chas. Center of Zeigler, and went back to the McDonald home only to be denied admittance.

"I don't care who you are, or where you are from" Lewis says McDonald told him, "If you order these men to move that piano you won't live to get ... himself and his wife in jail, the enraged man defied the officers and ... he would not go to jail.

... prepared for any such outbreaks, the deputy felt that he had better come back to Benton, make sure all his papers were all right, secure warrants for the arrest of the McDonalds and return at a later date. This he did and Deputy Lewis accompanied by Deputy Sam Pyles returned to Zeigler this time fully determined to come back with the music box.

When the officers arrived at Zeigler they secured a truck driver, and taking chief of police Center with them, again called at the McDonald home.

McDonald came to the door in answer to the officers knock. "Well," he said, "you fellows are back, and you will make another water haul."

"Now the best thing you can do is to keep back there and keep your mouth shut," deputy Pyles said.

"Who are you," shouted McDonald ... "I don't care who you are ... ald is reported to have said and then made a swing as if to strike the deputy.

"...ou will care a whole lot who I am" deputy Pyles replied as he grabbed the man's arm and deputy Lewis placed a nice little pair of bracelets ...

About this time Mrs. McDonald came forward, and when informed that she would be fastened to the oth... er end of the bright little bracelet if she interfered, she retreated to the piano, perched herself high and dry upon it and defied the officers to ...

... piano was fin... house placed on the truck and started for Benton. ...

Deputy Lew... warrants for ...

"That sure is some piano" Lewis said, "about ... the county, I reckon ...

... has got there yet in two ...

But it was Guilford's ball. Whether the thunderbolt helped it get there or not is unimportant. It was the ... shot that put Guilford in the lead and led to Evans' defeat. After which the Siege Gun stepped out and won the championship.

There is a time-worn slogan used by restaurateurs to describe their coffee, saying "Our coffee is the Best on Earth or Anyplace Else," but Joe Pavolas, of Christopher has a new ...

The placard over Joe's ...ffee urn in the Victory Cafe reads ... laugh at our coffee, you ma... be old and weak yourself some day."

POLICE GUARD CHICAGO POLLS

CHICAGO, Feb. 24 -(By ...) Special squads of policemen and detectives guarded the polls in today's aldermanic election as a result of hints of trouble and charges of fraud. They were given order to prevent kidnaping of party workers, sets of ballots boxes and in... tion of voters.

Harrisburg Beats Eldorado, 22-13

QUATRAIN LOOMS ON TURF HORIZON

Sensational Three-Year-Old Must Be Reckoned With Following Brilliant Victory in New Orleans Handicap From Classy Field

QUATRAIN, WITH EDDIE LEGERE UP

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21.—(By ...)—Much is expected on ... turf this season of Quatrain ... three-year-old colt that ... 000 New ... ... e son of the great ... who, it will be ... derby some years ago ... ortsmen are already pre... he will come closer to attaining the prowess of Man o' War than any thoroughbred of the ... only did the sensational colt capture the handicap event from one of the classiest fields ever entered but he also set a new record for the ...

Quatrain is eligible for the Kentucky derby, and, judging from the ... well as other performances, will have to be reckoned with in turfdom's blue ribbon classic next May.

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...ly are authorized to announce that J. O. ...ELL is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Boston Township subject to the action of the ...

...is a candidate for the office of ... Clerk of Boston Township subject ...

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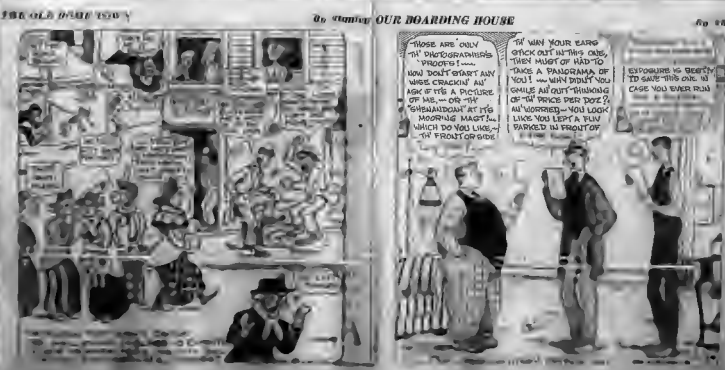

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FOR SALE—Coal range in good condition; four burner oil stove.—309 W. Webster Phone 645.

FOR SALE—Star ... condition, at bargain ... selling party leaving town. F... ticulars see Chas. Hayes at Standard Oil Company plant. Phone 101. 39*15

..., $25 for quick sale Mrs. J. A. Lewis, at Sheriffs Office. Phone 158.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Martin strain white Wyandotte and Shepherd strain Anconas, $1.00 for 15. Special price in lots of 100. W. K. Dalby, 3-4 mile southwest of Hart Williams Mine. 45*8

shot gun, 12 gauge ...

FOR SALE—home-grown black seed oats; extra quality.—Walter W. Williams or John Keen. 41t6

FOR SALE—5-room house, same to be moved off lot; house now located on lot south of Dodge Garage. See L. E. Poindexter. Phone 201. 41t6

WANTED

WOMEN to embroider for us at home all or spare time. Experience unnecessary. No canvassing. Standard Embroideries, Defiance, Ohio. 41*6

...TED Sewing ... do at my ... 2

PARTNER WANTED—man or woman, fastest business ... season, $... cash, operate from home. Income $1...

... Owens.

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FOUND—Pair ...

Constipation
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Sunday ... Tuesday
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Dick Hatton
in
"UNBLAZED TRAILS"
A love story of Vengeance and Retribution
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Coming Wednesday and Thursday
Frank Mayo
in

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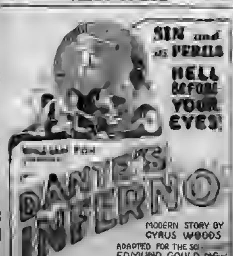

FRIER TO REST

(Continued from First Page)

He was married to Cornelia Sanderson. Their married life which was ideal, covered a period of more than fifty-six years, and was broken only by his death of February 22, 1925. To them were born seven children of ... and Clarence A., and three daughters, Attie, wife of W. E. ...leiner, Mabel, wife ... and Daisy, survive.

"He was the last of a family of seven children, viz. Henry J., Malinda, wife of John N. Gregg; Noah; Mary ...h, wife of Rev. C. H. Black, a ...ter, William M., and ...

... of age.

... own, more than one hun...

It was a thriving river town when Chicago had only a few straggling houses. There Mr. Frier spent his boyhood. When in a reminiscent mood he would tell of his early days in a most delightful manner. He had heard old men tell that they saw ... Fayette when he visited Shawneetown in 1825. He remembered "Bob Ingersoll" as a briefless and penniless lawyer. He recalled the stirring days of the Civil War.

"He was a small boy when John A. Logan was married at Shawneetown to Mary Cunningham, and witnessed the ceremony through a window ... in high es... of Shaw... ...o served six terms as alder... ...or twenty-six years was a Justice ... the Peace and Police Magis... position he gained ...tation and the law-...

continuous resident of that City and one of it's best public officials.

... the best thing we can say of Mr. Frier is that he was a good man. He was a kind and affectionate husband and father. His sterling qualities and kindly disposition endeared ...m to all his acquaintance. His kind... his encouraging ...ty and good cheer will ...membered. "To liv... hearts we leave behind is not to die."

Following, is a clipping from the Shawneetown Democrat published in September 4, 1919, on the occasion of Mr. Frier moving from that city to ...

"Our county will lose its oldest continuous resident, Judge N. A. Frier the latter part of this week or the ...

Judge Frier came here from White County with his ... when two ...rs of age ... he will have lived here 72 years, during all of which ... changed his ... o any other place.

...here are few older people here ...an Judge Frier but none of them resided here as long as he. ...udge Frier followed the ...

Something Extra Special For Our Customers

We have a limited amount of Lyon's Best Hard Wheat Flour which we are offering this week at $1.35 per sack. This is below market price on this grade of Flour. Act at once.

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CAPITOL

Wednesday, Feb. 25

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SACCO'S Music Hawks
10—PIECE ORCHESTRA — 10
and Four Victor Artists. Enter tainers, on the stage
and a
Fox Comedy
Children - - - 20c
Adults - - - 40c

... in "The Last of ..."

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We take especial care in serving the needs of the woman investor. Her daily occupations are usually far removed from the marts of finance, and, being unfamiliar with bond values, she must rely on such institutions as ours to select her investments.

The securities we recommend assure:
Safety of Principal
Satisfactory Interest Yield
Easy Marketability

... of Bonds that best meet ... requirements of women investors

First National Bank

honest and ... according to law.

... been an active member of ...ellows ... in this city ... and was a member of the ... K. of P. lodge during his life time.

Judge Frier has always been one ... best known and most highly re... and his familiar ...

TRACTOR SCHOOL HERE NEXT WEEK

The Annual Farm Tractor School will be held at Kirkpatrick Garage in Benton on March 2 to 5 inclusive. Mr. Kimerley the general Fordson expert will be chief instructor. Those who took part in the school last year will be glad to hear that Kimerley is to be here again.

This school is open to all tractor owners and to all who are interested in tractors. On account of a limited space and a limited suply of instructors only Fordson tractors will be used in the laboratory work. Come, bring your overalls and get better acquainted with the principles ...

... tractor owner owes it to himself and to his tractor to become better posted on the care of the tractor.

This school is free to all who register in advance at the Farm Bureau office or at Kirkpatricks garage. If you can't come into town this week, phone either place. They expect to

... nomination of Charles B. Warren to be attorney general was ordered to day by the Senate judiciary committee.

The vote was reported unofficially as nine to four. The nomination ... been before the committee ... weeks with opposition centering ... around Mr. Warren a testim... before the "sugar trust investig... twelve years ago.

Administration leaders will press for early action on the nomination in the belief that they can muster sufficient votes for confirmation at this session of Senate.

... have 12 tractors in the laboratory, but any one wanting to bring their own you should make a reservation at once.

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Benton Evening News

SENATOR M'CORMICK DEAD

RAIDERS AT ZEIGLER GET $800 FROM SAFE

Posed as Federal Men to Get Into Homes and Pool Room; Battle Ensued.

ZEIGLER, Ill., Feb —George Karlovich, propri pool room on Oak Street, and Mike Vidokovich, a friend of his were subjected to a harrowing ordeal by a group of "High-jackers" at midnight last night, and a sum of money said to aggregate $800 was taken from the safe of Karlovich, after he had been forced to open its doors at the point of a gun.

Posing as federal officers, a group of four men and one the home of Vidoko men going to the back door woman and the other two men got to the front. The woman called Vidokovich, and when he came to the door, the uninvited guests forced their entrance at the point of a

They told their host that they federal officers, that they had sent here to make an investi and that they intended to search his place. According to Vidokovich they made the search, looking into every part of his home, but seemed to find nothing that interested them only a shotgun and a rifle.

These firearms they took possession of and then commanded Vidokovich come with them. They took him to the home of Karlovich, which is located in the rear of the pool room.

Vidokovich was forced to call friend Karlovich admit the raid. After they had gained entrance, told Karlovich the same story had been told Vidokovich, and proceeded to make

until they came to the sa ped there and commanded to work the combination

After he had done this Karlovich made a dash for the outside, and escaped the "high-jackers" as they fired three shots after him. He made an attempt to reach the police, but before he could do this they had left

In the meantime the wife of Vidokovich became alarmed about the absence of her husband, and raised the alarm that he had been kidnaped. Several neighbors were aroused, and they started on the hunt of the missing man

exchanged as the raiders riedly in the direction of West Frankfort. None of the Zeigler po hit, and it is not known wh hit any one in the car, but glass was shattered over the pavement as the car sped away.

When Karlovich went back to his pool room he found that missing, but that all other and contents were not bothered.

The raiders were unmasked, and the victims give a very good description of them. From these descriptions the men tally pretty well with the outfit that several weeks ago raided two farm houses south of Zeigler, and threatened to burn their victims on a brush pile.

Karlovich and Vidokovich say they will be able to identify the men if they

BENTON WINS HIGHSCHOOL DEBATE TRIALS

Affirmative Team Defeats Eldorado and Negative Team Wins

for the championship of Twenty schools are entered in the

Benton

the

her independence in two

following members Walter Joe Neal

hird speaker, and Lela Morris, alter-

The negative team won at West Frankfort by a two-to-one decision of the judges. This team was of William

Upchurch, alternate.

announcement will be made who the Ben

elieve that they ing for Benton

ces Morris and Bonds of and Prof. McKnight of Her-

DEATH CLAIMS J. H. PURCELL

Sleeping Sicness Given As Cause of Death in Hospital.

ON, Ill., Feb. 25.—John Mulkeytown died yesterhospital of sleeplatives came from Mulkeytown and the body was taken to that place for burial

Mr Purcell was 54 years old

It was stated he was suffering with

and those acquainted with were not surprised when his death occurred as it was known his condition was critical

He had been a victim of the disease ght days before he was received at the hospital.

Mr. Purcell was quite a prominent figure in the business life of the west part of the county for many years. He made his home near Mulkeytown, and was known throughout the county.

His peculiar disease attracted considerable attention, not only from physicians, but from all who heard of the strange malady.

The disease is said to be caused by a congestion at the base of the brain, and the sleeping sickness of this country differs from that of Africa, which

Evangelist May Quiet Herrin

HOWARD S. WILLIAMS

Religion as a solution of the feudal situation in Herrin will be put to a test. Howard S. Williams, evangelist, will the territory for a series of revival meeting preaches no particular creed, but admits he's but a newspaper man selling Christianity.'

RYAN RESIGNS

JACK RYAN

Football coach at the University of Wisconsin, who has resigned. Ryan school two years to that was in charge of gridiron activities at Dartmouth and Marquette.

BANQUET GIVEN FOR VICTORIOUS BASKETEERS

A banquet was given last night at the Grant school for the Eighth grade basket ball team that carried off the honors of that district in the tournament last Saturday.

The banquet was given by the teachers of the school, and the guests, besides the boys and their coach Prof. Elmer Dillion, included Supt. Gordon Wooters of the city schools, N. Holms, Henry Jones and Jas. Eldridg of the board of education and a num-

whatever they might have said, good or bad, was overshadowed by the witty stammerings of the victorious players they were each in turn asked of the tournament.

FIRE BUG AT LARGE, BELIEF

Mysterious Man Seen Running From Scene of Blaze.

The fire department was called out in the neighborhood of the Franklin County Mine switch again last night for the third time in the past week

This time, as was the case with the other two fires, the building was caught from the inside and was almost destroyed before the blaze was discovered or the department called.

Last night's fire occurred at a dwelling house, about one and one-half blocks south of the Franklin County mine Switch, just off Tenth street. There did not seem to be any one at home at the house and the firemen were unable to learn the name of the

The fire was first discovered by a man driving on East Main street, the fire at that time was well under way, as the man drove his car up near the house he saw someone jump from the front porch and run across the field in the direction of the mine.

Three fires in about the same neighborhood, and seemingly happening in the same way, have aroused the su of the officers. The man seen last night has

that something very unusual is taking place and an investigation is being for the purpose of possible guilty party.

SBURG.

(By A. P.)—William T neer Saline county farmer suicide today by hanging

northwest of H body was found by a

PARKS ASKS ARREST OF TWO ESCAPED MEN

Acting Sheriff of Williamson Wants Escaped Murderers Dead or Alive.

MARION, Ill., February 25.—(By A. P.)—Acting Sheriff Parks of Williamson County, issued an order to his deputies today for the capture "dead or alive" of two murderers who with another man escaped from the jail last night. This was the first time in recent history at least that such an order had been issued in the

Thirty-one prisoners made no effort to escape. Two prisoners in the cell with the men who did escape gave the warning a few minutes after they

That the men had outside help in tearing away the bricks to get away was discovered today but no clue was found as to the identity of the series.

ELKS GIVE $100 TO SCOUTS

Eight Candidates Are Elected to Membership Last Night.

The B. P. O. Elks he meeting at their hall on North Main street last night, and one of the portant actions taken was the donating of one hundred dollars to the Scout fund, to help make up Benton's quota in the drive which is scheduled to start tomorrow

Eight applications for membership accepted by the lodge, and sever-

means that another big initiation will be held, and March 24 is the date that has been set for this

The Benton lodge is now in the best condition it has been for some time, and with the rapid strides it is ing it will soon be known as the est lodge of this order in Southern Illinois

HAD $35 FOR ELSIE'S FUND

Indiana Man Seeks Solicitor of Funds to Help Prisoner.

torney Smith's office yesterday inquired how the donations were coming along regarding the gathering of funds for the appeal transcript of Mrs. Elsie Sweeten.

The man told Attorney Teague that he was a laboring man from Hammond, Ind., that he worked by the day but had $35.00 which he wished to contribute to the fund. He was introduced to Bailiff Henry Baker, who has charge of the fund, and the two conferred for some time

The gentleman from Indiana, stated that he was going from here to Mt. Vernon where he expected to meet a man from St. Louis who would have a donation to turn over from some of the labor unions there.

If you have a used car for sale ad. it in the Classified Column.

FOUND DEAD IN BED AT HOTEL IN WASHINGTON

Death Came So Sudden That Members of His Family and Office Could Not Believe Reports; Heart Disease Given as Cause; 46 Years Old.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(By A. P.)—Senator Medill McCormick of Illinois, was found dead in his hotel apartment here today under circumstances which lead persons to disagree as to the cause of death.

The doctor who made the first examination of the body, issued

victim of heart disease.

Both agreed that death was due to natural causes and the Senator had passed away almost without warning while he was alone in his apartment.

Senator McCormick, who was approaching his 46th birthday, member of one of the most celebrated families and for years was a force in Republican politics.

found in bed. Physicians said death must have been instantaneous.

Last night Senator McCormick retired early. This morning at he was heard moving about his room

o'clock proved futile. The door then was taken down and physicians called who said he had been dead about an hour.

said today that he had been greatly depressed by political developments of the past few months.

Last summer he was defeated for re-nomination for the Senate and was to have gone out of office the 4th of March. Since his defeat his name had been brought forward for a diplomatic post and his friends today said he hoped to be named as Ambassador to Great Britian, a post already filled, and then aspired to Ambassador at Berlin.

Word reached him, it was said, at the latter post too would be given to another

News Great Shock

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(By A. P.)—News of the death of Senator Medill McCormick in Washington, was so entirely unexpected that the moment press wires were carrying bulletins of his death, the Senator's office here could not credit the dispatches. Mrs. McCormick, who is here, had not received the news, neral Frank Dickson, the Senator's personal representative here, said.

Mrs. McCormick, who before her marriage was Ruth Hanna, daughter of Mark Hanna, Ohio master political strategist, was entirely unprepared for the shock of the news of her husband's death. She was virtually prostrated by the shock but nevertheless prepared to depart

Born in Chicago, March 16, he was a son of Robert S. and Katherine Medill McCormick was a member of a famous family He was formerly a of the Illinois legislature and Representative at Large

FATHERS TO BANQUET SONS

eat Program is Arranged For Meeting At Christian Church.

A Father and given by the Men's Class of the First Christian Church in the church basement tomorrow night at 6:30 o'clock, when all members of the class are urged to attend and either bring their own son, or if they are not fortunate enough to have a son of their own to borrow the son of some neighbor. The boys should be between the ages of 12 and 20.

A splendid program has been arranged, and besides a number of speakers, the meeting will be addressed by some prominent speaker from out of town. The banquet will be served by the ladies of the Queen Esther Sunday school class, and a fee of 50

music numclass. These

unusual interest

BEG YOUR PARDON

In the list of officers of the Egyptian Auxiliary printed in the Evening of the vice president, omitted and

Mattie Joplin.

Through an error in the Evening News last night the name of M Bushong was omitted in naming the relations of Mrs. Blanche Scott who died Tuesday morning. Mrs. Bushong is a sister of Mrs. Scott.

Making love is about like learning to drive an auto. You never will learn

and Thursday, decidedly colder.

Contribute to the Fund

Here it is weeks after the first of the year and some of the movie stars using their 1924 marriage licenses.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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... Coolidge wants no fuss about his inaugural, but ...

It is, of course, the best possible way to bring the President into personal touch, and that is a good thing.
But let us take warning. We have literally killed two Presidents by this sort ...
Roosevelt's life was short...
Garfield and McKinley were sacri... democratic accessibility of the President, ... not physically killed, but ...

... ition of seven million people to see him separately and personally, one at a ...

Cost of living in Detroit ... in 1914, Detroit showing the highest inc... by the U. S. Labor Departme...
You ask, what items have advanced most—food, clothing, shelter, what?"
In virtually every city, strangely enough, it was hous... ice, food went up ...

You learn, through the ... velopment by German scient...

Chicago's health commissioner, Dr. Herman B ... finds it worth while to issue a pamphlet describing the benefits of ice skating.
It develops the muscles, heart and lung power, he says; ...

... oor activities.
Outdoor recreation, particularly in winter, offers one of the ...

Keep healthy and have fun doing it.

Youths which ... during the World war had been the ... of precious ...

... and for ... there was ...

Getting the True Light

"None So Deaf"

"Brethren," said the colored preacher ...

... various ... of appearance ... the ...

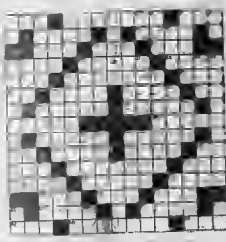
Youth in Flower

Judgment to ...

... ing into the most ... of the world ... area of the earth ... stepped of England ...

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

... puzzle add interest to otherwise average makeup. There are few unkeyed letters ... the whole the puzzle should be easy to solve.

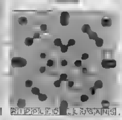


HORIZONTAL

10. So.
12. On the lee side of a ship.
15. Beverage.
17. Bark.
18. Biblical pronoun.
22. Take care of.
23. 5½ yards.
25. Fictitious narratives.
... hearing.
... verb "to be"
... he surface.
28. Father.
31. Mold.
... Mistake.
33. Musical instrument.
37. Pointed pieces of metal.
42. The joint between hand and arm.
44. On high.
46. Fate.
... Drawings of buildings.
... Small houses.
... 480 sheets of paper.
... Orient.

VERTICAL

4. Profound.
5. Pertaining to th...
6. God of ...
7. Cunning.
8. Indian wigwam.
11. Garden implement.
13. Consume.
15. To make reparation.
16. To slur over.
19. Very warm.
20. Principal axis of a flower.
21. Look slyly with malice.
23. Short slumber.
24. Pertaining to the drama.
... species of seals
27. Military duty.
30. An every meal food.
32. Balance.
33. Low flat marsh land.
36. D...
40. Noo...
41. An expert
42. Mistaken.
43. Male sheep (Pl.)
45. Close friend.
48. A poker ...
50. Former Russia...
52. Wise man.



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Affidavit of non-residence of Jennie Redden impleaded with the above nam...
of the Circuit Court of said County, notice is therefore hereby given to the ...
complainant filed his bill of com... in the Chancery side ... of February ...
... in said suit is now pending, returnable ... on the Fourth Monday in the ...
resident defendant above named Jennie Redden shall personally be and ...
County, on the F... month of May next, and plead, answer ...
or compl...

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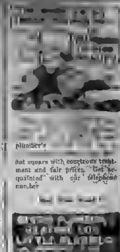
... found dead in front ... bushing. The ...
... disclosed a sign reading ... returned if you hit ...



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Make this test! End suffering signs. Helps nature cleanse and ...
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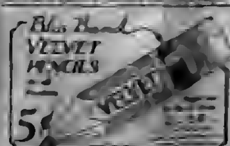
Take a pleasant spoonful of Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup after the next two meals. In less than 14 hours notice quick difference in way you feel. Contains pure vege... digestive organs—soothe the tired and overtaxed nerves, brace up your system and purify your blood. It has helped thousands feel return of strength, vigor and energy again.



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... MISSION MEET

Mesdames W. H. Hart, William Decker, and Chas. Settlemoir motored to DuQuoin this morning ... the district meeting of the Missionary Society of the Christian Church to be held at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

NEW BABY BOY AT COLEMAN HOME

Raymond Paul is the name of the boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman at West Frankfort on Sunday February 22. The mother will be re- ... mother and baby are getting along nicely, and Frank is expecting to be able to be out and about in a few days.

... SEWING CLUB

... Jones was hostess to the ... Club of which she is a member ... afternoon at her home ... Street. A very enjoy- ... was spent in sewing and conversation. Lovely refreshments were served by the charming hostess. The guests were, Mrs. Cliff Davis and Mrs. Westerland.

ART CLUB HOLDS ENJOYABLE MEET

The Domestic Art Club met at the home of Mrs. E. E. Poindexter, 401 E. Main street, on Monday afternoon.

After a short business session a very interesting program of "Bible Stories" was given.

A paper—"The Ship which made its ... on the Mountain," prepared by Mrs. O. C. Grinnell, was read by Mrs. ... Wagner.

"Gideon, the Farmer" was read by Mrs. W. F. Spiller

"David and Goliath" was read by ...

... the Dreamer" was well told by Mrs. W. P. Seeber.

A very interesting Bible contest of ... Biblical characters was conducted by Mrs. Andrew Martin.

Mrs. Emma Swofford won the prize for mating the most couples.

The hostess served lovely refreshments and a social hour was enjoyed by all present.

The guests were Mrs. Mason Gregg ... Geo. Stegmeyer and Mrs. Randall Poindexter

... Tuesday, complimenting ... Cora Martin of Madison, who is the guest of her ... Mrs. A. E. Martin.

FOR RENT—6 room house; 412 W. Webster. Frank Nowikowsky. 46*4

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

By special invitation of Mrs. Walter Alvis, the February birthday party of John Payne's Sunday school class of ... Baptist Church, was held at her home on West Church Street last evening. A lovely covered dish dinner was served by the entertainment committee.

During the dinner a lovely birthday ... the two birthday children, Mrs. Mary Brown and Miss Rhoda Morris. Gifts were given them by their unknown Sunshine Friends.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR MRS. MERCER

The Pythian Sisters gave a farewell party last evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Harten on Pope Street, for Mrs. George Mercer who is leaving soon for Marion to reside.

Mrs. Jas. Alloway was Mistress of Ceremonies and the program was opened with a piano solo by Mrs. Clarence Crawford, followed by a reading "The Pythian Sisters' Covered D... Luncheon," by Mrs. Sophia Mills. Several selections were given by the famous "Pythian Sisters Band," which was highly applauded. A number of clever contests were had which afforded much fun displaying great ability and talent of the ladies. The hit of the evening was a duet by Mesdames Lampley and Mills, in a rube make-up, singing "The Gang's All Here," and responding to an encore with "Sweet Onion Time."

Refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee were serv... The evening was finished by giving all good wishes to Mrs. Mercer in her new home.

Tonight is the regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters. New members are to be taken in and every member is urged to be there. There will be refreshments served by the lodge so leave your covered dish at home.

Mrs. Ralph Sanders and Mrs. Ray Cook and baby of Christopher visited with Mrs. Cook's mother, Mrs. Will Keigley yesterday afternoon.

PRAYER ...ING TONIGHT

... regular Wednesday night prayer meeting of the First Baptist church will be held in the church basement at 7 o'clock tonight.

The pastor Rev. J. B. Little will conduct the meeting, which will probably be the last service in which Rev. ... in this city.

REVIVAL AT BUCKNER

A revival to begin at the church of God in Christ at Buckner tonight, Feb. 25. Just closed meeting at Jonesboro, Ill., a goodly number was saved some received Baptism of Holy Ghost according to Act. 2-4. Meeting each evening at 7 o'clock. We are expecting evangelist Charley Hausman of Anna with us ... message. Everybody welcome—W. E. Thurmond, Pastor

Mrs. George Stegmeyer motored to St. Louis today.

I. Bass of the Bass Fashion Shop is in St. Louis today on business.

Robert Coxon and Lawrence Hegner are spending the day in St. Louis.

A ten pound baby girl was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Teas.

... kew is ill at the home of his parents, on North Main street.

T. J. Hennessy underwent an operation in the local hospital yesterday afternoon

The ladies aid of the M. E. church will meet in the Church Thursday afternoon This is calendar day and all committees please report.

Little William Bowers of Dowell who has been confined in the Moore Hospital for several days was able to return to his home this morning

Anna Joplin who has been ill for the past two weeks is reported as being better this morning. It is hoped that she will soon be able to be out again.

Mrs. C ... Floyd and her guest, Mrs. E... Rosenerans of New York City, and Giles and Richard Meads motored to Johnston City today to attend a birthday dinner in honor of Rev. J. L. Meads.

... for the Evening News.

...

... it was very much needed to fill up most of the wells that were almost dry

Earl Neal purchased some pigs from Mr. Cremeens of near Akin one day last week.

John Price was in Bessie last week getting his semi-annual haircut and ... ready to start in farming as the weather will permit

The J.R. Watkins man was in this vicinity last week.

George Otterson's store was burglarized one night last week and a large amount of goods were taken

Ribe Bennett is working on the new railroad, cleaning off the right-of-way Ribe has been working on the railroad almost ever since it has been started and as far as he is concerned he aims for the road to go through.

Marion Warren spent one day last week with Mun Warren and family of near Webb's Hill.

Several of the farmers of this vicinity have their oats sowed. They are ... fore the weather will permit.

W. P Moore of Logan has bought some hay from Marion Warren and ... hay from Frank Davis one day last week

Amos and Edgar Knemper were in Bessie last Thursday.

Willard Huffine dragged the roads in this vicinity one day last week.

Marion Todd was in Bessie one day last week sharpening his ax and getting ready to cut his summer supply of cook wood.

Will Akin of near Parrish made his regular weekly call to Bessie last ... dozen eggs from our local merchants, besides some other produce.

Hollis Sandusky of Mt. Zion was in Bessie this week.

Willie Adams and wife made a business trip to Webb's Hill one day last week

J. W Russell and family made a business trip to Benton last Wednesday evening.

John Davis is planning on putting up a new grist mill in Bessie in the near future and has already begun ... will give Bessie quite a ...

Harry Browning of near West Frankfort has been ... in this vicinity helping Willie Browning sow oats.

Silas Gossman and son made a ... shovel that was mired there.

Walter Wyatt of Benton passed ...

Marshall Jones of Willow Branch vicinity was in Bessie last Saturday.

Earl Akin started to the mines to work Saturday morning and the roads being slick his car slipped in a ditch and he could not get there, so he came to Bessie and worked in the shop that day sharpening plow points a... doing other odd jobs.

Charley Neunlist was in Benton Sat...

Behold, the other correspondent Slapout. Once before when we mentioned this place there came several inquiries asking where this place was located, but now it has become quite a popular place and is one among us We heartily welcome them.

Juda Craine of Benton was out in this vicinity last Sunday

Jim Lawrence and wife and Silas Williams and wife of Akin spent last Sunday with Willie Browning and family.

The following were visitors at M... ion School Friday evening. Amos, Leonard and Horea Dillon, Ed Britton and Mrs. George Otterson.

Mrs. George Otters... visited with Mrs Edmon Roundall last Sunday evening.

Miss Pauline Davis spent Saturday night with Miss Ruth Dillon.

Most of the people have part of their garden planted.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Moore of Slapout were on our streets Saturday.

Latest ready-to-wear hats. Buckram shapes for women and children; all kinds of hat trimmings. Have your old hat made new. 507 North McLeans...

All persons indebted to the Glasgow-Crisp Drug Company, will please call and make settlement with ... L. Evans, at Glas-Vick Drug Co. 48*3

* Myers School Notes *

went to Mt. Zion school and had a very enjoyable visit. We are looking for an early return of our visit.

The 92 plus pupils for the week follow: Seventh: Martha Kuizen 100, Lena Rone 100; Glenn O'Toole 98, Ancel Mezo 98; Hazel Flannigan ... Edith Tate 93; Della Wallace 9...

Fifth Frances Kuizen 100, Aileen Wintz ... 98. Helen Mezo ... Tate 97; James Bisonett 92

Fourth Geneva Hester 10... Rone 100; Ruby Miller 98, Ina S...dusky ... James Paul Smith 93

The ranking in penmanship follows Seven... Rone, Paul Britton, Ruth Miller, Glen O'Toole

Fifth Frances Kuizen, Helen Mezo, Virgil Gaither, Aileen Wintz, Walter Fix

Fourth: Ruby Miller, Mary Rone, Gene... Hester, John Wallace, Byford Basham.

MT. ZION

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Dollins of Benton visited home folks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hobbs and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Dillon.

Mr. Cecil Sights, Miss Fern Capps, Miss Dollie Haggard and Eugene Lefler and girl friend spent Sunday evening with Misses Lydia, Gladys and Vanetta Briley.

Rev. C. C. Mitchell preached three good sermons at Mt. Zion with a very ...

Miss Effie Rose spent Thursday with Miss Lydia Briley

The Myers School's advanced class and their teacher visited Mt. Zion school Friday

Mrs. Logan Carlton has been visiting her mother and father near Macedonia last week

Rev. C. C. Mitchell and Mr and Mrs. W... Haggard took dinner with Mrs. M... Briley and family

Mrs. Emma Shepherd and Miss Gladys Briley of Johnston City spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives and attended church at Mt. Zion

Mrs Malinda Briley our local weaver is pretty well occupied weaving rugs for the neighbors.

Mr. J. C. Isaac and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tim McCollom.

Mr. Walter Isaac and boy friend spent Saturday and Sunday with home ...

Mr. Olandis Isaac of Benton has purchased the F. J. Allen farm and has started to build a house.

Read the Classified Column

—NOTICE—

There will be a regular meeting of the Elks tonight. Balloting on applications. Every member urged to be ... Ruler.

BLACK Seed Oats, Packed in 3-bushel bags, on sale at Hudelson's Feed Store. 38tf

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Benton, Ill.—Phone 201

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ITALY SENDS US

Signor De Martino, newly appointed ambassador to Washington. He already has sailed for our shores.

CLAIM HEAD LINES WRONG

Accused Man Makes Statement Regarding Trial.

C. R. McMahan one of the men who appeared at Murphysboro Monday in connection with the proposed forfeiture of bonds for himself and six other Franklin County men who were tested in Jackson co[illegible] on gun toting charge [illegible] Evening News office this morning and [illegible] additional expense [illegible] red to the article [illegible]

[illegible] had never been given a hearing trial" he said [illegible] during the St[illegible] [illegible] thing" and we were to have been [illegible] before the case was called again. [illegible] We were never notified, he said, and the prosecuting attorney undertook to forfeit our bonds. When the fact was called to his attention that he had promised to notify us before the case was called, the attorney remembered and after explaining to the court, the forfeiture was defeated and another date set for a hearing [illegible] time that [illegible]

[illegible] stated that he was acquainted with [illegible] had not [illegible] similarity whatsoever [illegible]

[illegible] that will not favorite [illegible]

Make Your Own Dresses and Ensembles

NEW FABRICS

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SEE THESE WONDERFUL NEW FABRICS WE ARE OFFERING. THEY WILL INSPIRE YOU TO GET BUSY AT ONCE.

40 inch Printed Canton Crepe $2.75 Yard

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New Laces
New Hosiery

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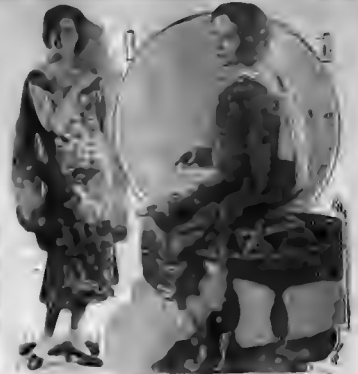
Cook's Dry Goods Co

Two New Spring Creations



COLOR IS THE PR[illegible] [illegible] CREATIO[illegible] FOR SPRING. THE RED ROSE COLOR [illegible] CARRIED OUT AT THE WAIST AND TH[illegible] BLACK LACE DRAPE FROM THE SHOULDERS ARE CAUGHT AT THE S[illegible] IT IS A QUAINT DAINTY SPRING FROCK OF FRINTED GEORGETTE, THE PATTERN AND COLORS [illegible] REMINDING ONE OF THE LOVELY CHINTS OF OUR GRANDMOTHER'S DAY. THE SCARF IS OF WHITE EMBROID[illegible]

PLAN GREAT REVIVAL FOR HURST CHURCH

W. V. Walker Party W[illegible] Series Thur[illegible]

The V. W. B[illegible] Party will be[illegible] the First Chr[illegible] Hurst, Thursday [illegible] The party [illegible] before his re[illegible]

WALTER SEARS IN RACE FOR SUPERVISOR

Announces Candidacy on Republican Ticket; Long Resident of County

[illegible] and [illegible]

The first announcement of a candi[illegible] [illegible]ces of Barton town[illegible] [illegible] the Republican ticket was [illegible] when Walter [illegible] prominent east side merch[illegible] announced [illegible]

For the past forty-five years Mr. [illegible]ears has been a resident of Frank[illegible] [illegible]ty, and during the last fifteen years he has lived in the city of Ber[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] on the farm, and coupled with his knowledge of the p[illegible] [illegible] the farmer, [illegible] a same at the [illegible] hat in the price before the county [illegible] body concerning business [illegible]

[illegible] has always been an ardent Re[illegible] [illegible] and has supported the tenets [illegible] believed to be right when [illegible] in the life of his city or [illegible]

[illegible] member of the Methodist [illegible] is indeed a good citizen [illegible] [illegible]ected that he will make a [illegible] and in event of his [illegible] be still make the township and [illegible] county a real efficient official [illegible]

JACKSONVILLE

by RUTH THARP

We had quite a rain the first part of the week which made our roads [illegible]

day and Sunday with her grandpar[illegible] [illegible] and Mrs. S. T. Richardson.

[illegible] and family called at Shetler and Fa[illegible]

Mr. Vernon is [illegible] vicinity at p[illegible]

THREE S's SPELL SPRING STYLE—SLIMNESS, SUPPLE, SIMPLENESS

BY HORTENSE SAUNDERS
NEA Service Writer

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Spell style with three S's this season—slimness, suppleness and simplicity.

"Achieve these three none too easy qualities and you will have that grace and [illegible] that elegance [illegible] spring and summer fashions," says Theyrl Bendel, New York's leading style mentor.

"It takes an experienced [illegible] tieils that have dropped into clothes [illegible] ng and baffling—that of the finished work instead of a sketch.

"[illegible] body, but [illegible] seamless. The [illegible] anywhere. The [illegible] though skirts are ruffled, pl[illegible] frilled."

An indefinable grace has been injected into the straightline frock behalf by American women, Bendel says. This has been achieved by means of godets, flounces, circular [illegible] and pleated sections that give an entirely new feeling about the hips without changing the close hip line.

Fluffy Ruffles, Too

"The new fabrics, both in silk and wool are very light and can be interpreted in the most fastidious ways," [illegible] rinkle, particularly chiffon and gor[illegible] [illegible] gorgeous, will be the rage for summer. Points, slashings, ruffles, panels and pleats give a most intriguing irregularity to the hem line, making it infinitely more attractive than the straight line, adding, too, a feeling of motion and a suggestion of flight that is most alluring."

Lace and embroidery, taboo for the past season because of the prevailing severity, have returned to soften and feminize the silhouette.

"As for printed fabrics, get ready give them the place of honor in your wardrobe," says Bendel. "They [illegible] gously than ever before."

Tiea Turn Backward

"Tie ends or chiffon sashes are more apt to find the smaller collar or conventional designs while georgette and chiffon, worn for more formal occasions, figures increasingly sun, colors brighten, and all the flowers of the field and hothouse [illegible]

The seated model photographed shows a cloth pattern copied in crepe de chine. This is extremely practical as well as decorative. The collar arrangement is very good—a white embroidered scarf that forms a collar across the front and is tied with bow ends in the back.

Incidentally nearly all the turn backward this season instead of moving under the chin in the [illegible]

"The combination of lace and figured chiffon is new and very effective," Bendel said.

The lace above is being featured this season in very thin fabrics, and it is a fact worthy of every woman's attention that the feminine area is [illegible]

FEATURES LACE AND SATIN

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams

Anti-Annexation Leaders Frankfort Turn Deaf Ear To Talk of Dropping Suit

Objectors Show City Taxes and Frown Upon Paying Salaries of "Idle Al[illegible]" Suggest Police Clean Sidew[illegible] Otherwise Employed.

(Frankfort Amer[illegible]

There is no doubt[illegible] the minds of those outsi[illegible] ing the suit now pend[illegible] Court at Boston to [illegible] tion to the city of Fr[illegible] the northeastern [illegible]

Indeed, for [illegible] up the fight

We may take [illegible] We feel that [illegible] [illegible] Mr. who

of the city of Fr[illegible] Jenner said in that to help shoulder the [illegible]

"We don't want [illegible] "whom we have [illegible] around and do [illegible] want as many p[illegible] the City Hall." Good police [illegible] [illegible] ith, in Mr

[illegible] who were behind the petition [illegible] not objected to the hours [illegible] that the officers were being p[illegible]

[illegible] "That was the way they used to do [illegible] at the Ward," he observed.

[illegible] the first photo of Mr [illegible] "the blind account teacher"

Wisdom

[illegible] and forgiving [illegible] to others

Agricultural Activities

Farm Adviser For Franklin County

Farmers Support Bill to Re-Code T[illegible] ft Clean Up Law

A general re-codification of exis[illegible]

[illegible] with a number of important [illegible] to cover much demanded [illegible] part of [illegible]

[illegible] after being cattle found-whe[illegible] on fencing of their [illegible] cost would hardly [illegible]

view. Hard county, see[illegible] [illegible] a recovery by the County Farm Bureau [illegible] support of the I. A. A

The new bill is drawn to bring out-of-date legislation on cattle tuberculosis up-to-date and to keep the [illegible] state channels secure with the greatest [illegible] development [illegible]

[illegible] cows [illegible] [illegible] in the state. A co-day [illegible] [illegible] organized, where they show to good ad[illegible]

DIXIE GARAGE ADDS PAINT SHOP TO BIG PLANT

Boston-Christopher Concern is One of Largest of Kind in the Country

[illegible] ing work. A large [illegible] are employed [illegible] located on [illegible] street, and the [illegible] state [illegible] [illegible] had [illegible]

The repair shop is larger than coul[illegible] likely be found anywhere in this part [illegible] of the state. All the equipment, in ad[illegible] dition to other modern tools and ac[illegible] cessories, include a large lathe and a "turn-a-lot" used principally for bur[illegible] shop will [illegible] finishing used cars [illegible] but that [illegible] for others

Tension range

Today's Radio Program

[illegible] organ.

[illegible] pianist, Dallas,

[illegible] WGY, Philadelphia—6.30 [illegible] T concert; 9.03 recital, 9.30 [illegible] KDKA.

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We invite every smoker in this city to take advantage of this startling offer. We've told you about Lucky Strike superiority. Your friends have told you. Now know for yourself the value of the toasting process! We make this proposition to win more friends:

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Smoke these 100 Lucky Strikes. Then you'll know how the 45-minute toasting process adds to the flavor and improves the taste.

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So nearly *one-half* of what you pay for cigarettes is spent by you for taxes.

This is certainly the heaviest tax on an article of daily and universal con-

[illegible]

[illegible] to $203,014,050.54.

Of this enormous amount of money the cigarette industry paid $125,715,755.93, or nearly two-thirds of the total tax paid by the entire tobacco business.

[illegible]

That the public appreciates this [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] price.

Its quality [illegible] that nearly [illegible] which impo[illegible] the taste of [illegible] most [illegible] Lucky Strikes.

[illegible] and Care [illegible]

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Yourself and your family deserve to know what is going on about them. They want to know—we want them to know. They can best find out by reading the daily issue of the Benton Evening News.

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For the next thirty days ending March 2, 1925, we will offer the Evening News in Clubs of five NEW subscribers at $2.75 each for a full year's subscription. No such offer as this has ever before been made. It may never be duplicated.

If you are now getting the Evening News regularly, show this offer to some neighbor and let them work up a club of five and get in on this wonderful offer.

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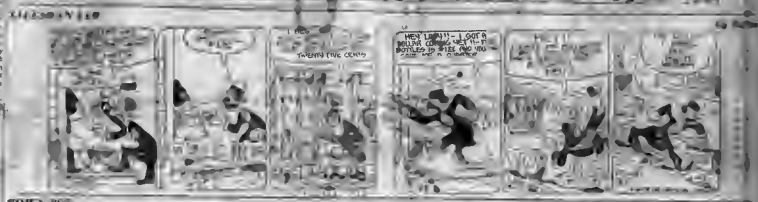

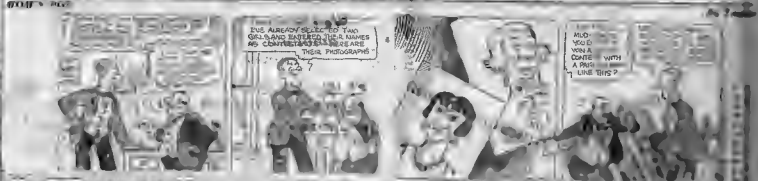

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FOR RENT—5-room house, modern ... ment, lights, heat, hot and cold ..., good location, on paved street ... at Sheriffs office. J. A. Lewis 41tf

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... housekeeping rooms. 815 North

FOR RENT—2 rooms, modern for light housekeeping. Phone 384. 45tf

FOR SALE—Lot No. 93 in Highland add to Benton. A bargain if taken at once.—Pearle Blair, Buckner.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity in 5-room house. Good location. Call ..., between 7 a. m. and 5 p. m. 38tf

FOR SALE—Reed, twin ... First class condition. Call

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farm, large or small.—See C. W. Hodges

... SALE—Two extra good bed ... reasonable.—209 W. Main or ... 33tf

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FOR SALE—Cool range in good ... four burner oil stove, ... Phone 646. 43tf

... SALE—Star touring car. A1 ..., at bargain, reason for party leaving town. For par... see Chas. Hayes at Standard ... Company plant, Phone 39*15

FOR SALE—new modern 5-room ... furnished including nice piano, white enameled gas stove. Phone W.—280 College. Price $4000. 38tf

FOR SALE—$100 Axminister rug ..., good shape, $25 for quick sale. Mrs. J. A. Lewis, at Sheriffs Office.

... white Wyandotte and Shepherd ... Anconas, $1.00 for 15. Special ... in lots of 100. W. E. Dalby, 3-4 ... southwest of Hart Williams 16*3

...—Clyde Tiberend, 2 miles West, ... South of Benton.

FOR SALE—5 room house, same ... be moved off lot; house now located ... lot south of Dodge Garage. See ... Poindexter. Phone 201. 41tf

home all or spare ... unnecessary. No canvassing. St. ... Embroideries, Defiance, Ohio 41*6

D—Sewing to do at my home. 304A West Church.

WANTED—Washings, will call for and deliver. Phone County 1604

PARTNER WANTED—man or woman, fastest business of season, $50 cash, operate from home. Income $150 Mr Daugherty, Phone 245.

LOST—Small Jersey Cow, white spot on left shoulder, no horns.—R. L. Owens. 45tf

FOUND

FOUND—Pair ladies silk gloves at court house. Phone "J." A. Knight,

Fred Fearor at

DISTRICT MEET OF TELEPHONE EMPLOYES HERE

Monthly Affair Will Be Held; Many Here From Out of City

A district meeting of the managers and operators for the Illinois Southern ...

... A profitable ... during which ... exchanged and following this a ... and refreshments were enjoyed. According to local manager Norman ...

...ffairs, and the next ... held here the last Monday night in ...

Following is a list ... out of the city who were ...

S. Curtain, Hilda Curtain, Golda ... Evelyn Jo... Margaret Melz, Ina Foster, ... Dees, all of Christopher. R. E. Burkitt, Margaret Zimbleman, Ellen Struthers, Marie Campbell, Stella Malasky, Anna McGuinness, all of ...

A. O. Lindle, Carbondale, and J. T. Turner, Murphysboro. Mrs. Parker and Ruby Rot...

Delicate Hairsprings

The hairspring of a watch ... by drawing steel wire through a hole ...

If Rheumatic Eat No Sweets

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... well-known authority, ... keep ... and ... this poison from ... out in the urine, ... are also a means ... acids, which ... accumulating and circulating ... system, eventually settle ... joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain, called rheuma...

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about ... ounces of Jad Salts, put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink ... before breakfast each morning for a week. ... remove waste matter also to stimulate the kidneys ... flush ... the blood of rheumatic poison. Jad Salts is inexpensive ... made from the acid of grapes and lemon ... combined with lithia ... with excellent results by thousands of ...

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"WILD ORANGES"

with

Frank Mayo
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Never a moment that ... never a second that is without ... thrill

Fables and Comedy

Coming Friday and Saturday
Richard Talmadge
Laughing at Danger

Notice To Tax Payers

The Tax Books are now in the hands of the various Collectors. Pay Personal Tax at once and save cost.

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"EXTRA"

SACCO'S Music Hawks

10 — PIECE ORCHESTRA — 10
and Four Victor Artists, Entertainers, on the stage and o...

Shirley Mason in THAT FRENCH LADY

Fox Comedy

Children ... 20c
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Coming Thursday and Friday—Tom Mix in "The Last of the Duanes"

Something Extra Special For Our Customers

We have a limited amount of Lyon's Best Hard Wheat Flour which we are offering this week at $1.35 per sack. This is below market price on this grade of Flour. Act at once.

Cash Grocery Co

AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

in Franklin County

WILLOW BRANCH

By VALLIE HATCHETT

... heavy rains. If this kind of weather ... out much longer the farmers in this part of the country will likely be late with their crops.

T. R. Hatchett has about 80 acres of ... sowed. Who can beat that for early. As the old saying is "The early bird catches the worm."

Some of the railroad men have rented the Charlie Summers house in this district and have occupied the same.

Claude Bolen and Inman Hatchett went to West Frankfort last Saturday afternoon and stayed all night down there.

We understand that Harmon Summers and family who live at Benton are intending to come back to their place in this district in the near future.

Ellsworth Summers, who has been living on Aunt Juda Miller's place in the Brush Prairie school district is moving to his farm in the Auten school district.

Next Saturday night, February 28, at 7 p. m., and next Sunday morning March 1, at 11 a. m. is the next church time at Mt. Etna. Rev. Bain is the regular pastor there now.

The writer enjoyed a good visit with George Shepherd and wife of Sauls last Sunday.

Part of our school visited Brush Prairie school last Friday afternoon.

Guy Moore and Alex Miller called on Marshal Smith last Saturday.

If anyone wants a good coming year old colt for $30 they should see Vallie Hatchett at once as he has one for ...

Marshal Smith purchased a sorrel mare from Robert Hill of Parrish.

...

We are having some rainy weather at present.

Miss Opal Lomax of Benton visited her parents in Slapout last week.

Mr. Edd Britton, Amos Davis, Floyd Warren, Virgil Britton and Elsie Britton went to church at Mt. Zion Sat...

Thelma Moore, who has had to stay at home nearly all winter on account of sickness, has started to school again.

Miss Pauline Davis of Bessie visited Ruth Dillon Saturday night.

... Stout was seen in ... afternoon.

... rlies went to Webb Hill ... turday. We suppose he was Slapout ... of tobacco.

Mr. Fred Kelly and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kirlies last week.

Louis Kirlies planted about eleven acres of oats last week.

Oley Allen spent Sunday night with Dana Moore.

Mrs. Caroline Isler who has been spending a few weeks with her sister ... Kirlies returned to her ...

Miss Iva Otterson visited Miss ... Dillon last Sunday.

Miss Monette Moore went horseback riding Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Elsie Britton spent Saturday night with his cousins, Ed and Virgil Britton.

We are having a very nice school with J. W. Russel as teacher.

Mr. Amos Davis made a short call on J. Z. Moore, Sunday morning.

There was a birthday party at Monette Moores Friday night, but there were not many present, on account of ...

VALIER

Mr Bennet Hawkins and wife spent last Saturday and Sunday visiting folks in Keil.

Mr. E. B. Elkins, Chief of Police has sold his property and moved down in the south part of town.

Mrs. Lula Dennis and children have moved to a farm between here and Rend.

The ...

... a little ... Foote ... Everhart ...

A meeting for Thursday night has ... called to organize the ball club

Hudson coach.

Walter Flatt has purchased the lot back of the Standard filling station and is going to build a brick dwelling on it.

Mr. Nello Carr's father of Kentucky is spending a few days with him.

Mr. Walter Stevens of West Virginia, former General Manager of the Va... Ber mine spent a few ... visiting here last week.

... Luther Hawkins of ... is planning on going back with Mr. Stevens.

The new North Mine has resumed operations after a two weeks shut-down.

Ewing Route Two

At the present time we have had plenty of rain and the weather is somewhat cooler again.

We have some real muddy ...

Uncle John S... misfortune of hurting his ankle very badly one day last week. While no bones were broken it will be some time before he will be able to walk again.

Several of the farmers have completed their oat sowing.

Jim Bosier, who has been confined to his bed for some time with pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Miss Ethel Sink spent Thursday night of last week with Miss Madge Carton.

The small son of Ray Boyer, who has been quite sick, is reported better.

... Lillie Campbell spent a part of last week with Miss Wilma Carlton near Mt. Zion.

Miss Sarah Page spent one night recently with Irene and Helen Fisher.

Little Dorothy Kern, who has been among the sick is reported better.

Mrs. Fannie Meadows of Sullivan, who has been visiting at the home of her father, Willie Phillips, returned to her home Sunday.

H. D. Campbell and wife were in Benton Thursday on business.

Willie Richardson, wife and son ... eroy, were Sunday visitors at the home of Frank Richardson.

Clarence Bolen was the Sunday afternoon guest of Miss Madge Carl...

Dr. Whited of Dahlgren visited the sick at the homes of Willie Shelton, Alva Kern and Ray Boyer Friday ... seems as though there is quite ... of sickness at present.

Misses ... lie Johnson, Ora Sink, Madge Carlton and Mrs. Pauline Johnson and son spent Wednesday afternoon with ... bell.

Dennis Miller of Mt. Vernon was a recent visitor at the home of his father, Willie Miller.

Raymond Robinson made his regular Sunday afternoon call at the home of Miss ... thel Sink.

Quite a crowd of young folks met and charivaried John Sullivan and w... Friday night. All reported a good ...

Mrs. Logan Carlton spent last week with her father, Jim Bosier, who is quite sick.

C. L. Sink and daughter, O... shopping in Dahlgren Saturday.

Bruce Fowler of Mt. Vernon made his regular Sunday visit at the home of Miss Nellie Johnson in spite of the rainy weather.

Miss Lena Shelter and Ora Sink are contemplating visiting in Mt. Vernon this week.

Steve Williams and children spent ... night of last week at the home of H. D. Campbell.

Misses Wilma Carlton and Effie Rose were Friday afternoon visitors at the home of Jim Bosier.

Fred Browning and wife, formerly of Benton, have removed to the Steve Williams farm.

The rainy days of spring are here,
The lonesomest time of all the year.
You cannot work, you cannot play,
But go to school is why I say.
For the best time to study is on a rainy day.
You must wear a coat that's water proof,
And have the holes fixed in the roof,
Or you'll get wet and have to quit,
For a bad cold is what you'll get.
...
Or mend the hole that's in your shoe
But brace up, never yet the blues,
Just sit and read the Evening New...

PLEASANT HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Lena Summers is talking of going to Jacksonville to work in the hospital there again.

Mrs. Lizzie Gilbreth spent Monday ...

Elton ... made a business trip Thompsonville Monday morning.

Howard McFarland and wife of Hamilton County passed thru these parts Monday.

Mrs. Lola Williams and children visited the latter part of last week with her mother, Mrs. T. S. ...

Bro. C. C. Mitchell, fill... turday and Sunday at Mt. Zion.

Lester Gilbreth passed through these parts one day this week with a fine load of corn.

Uncle Green Knight is seriously ill at this writing.

Mr and Mrs. T. S. Summers went shopping to West End Saturday.

If you want to swap horses or mules call on Wm. Mabry for he sure will swap 'em.

Our school is progressing with Mabel Carlile as teacher.

... the first floor o... Scotland, drove upst... ire, which awoke ... top story but just in time for ... to escape with their lives.

Something to Count On

Cheer up! If you don't get what you go after, you are sure to get what's coming to you.—Boston Transcript.

Elks ...

THE ELKS OPEN HOUSE

DANCE

Wednesday Night

Dancing From 9 p. m. until 1 a. m.

Music Furnished By

SACCO'S Music Hawks

Will Be in ... at HUDSON HOTEL

Thursday, February 26

HOURS—8 A. M. TO 8 P. M.

ONE DAY ONLY—RETURN EVERY TWO WEEKS

SPECIALISTS, who devote their entire time to the treatment of Men, Women and Children as follows

STOMACH, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels, Gal Stones, Constipation, Anemia, Abdominal Troubles, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Female Troubles, Neuralgia, Deafness, Varicose Veins, Catarrh, Head and Throat, Leg Ulcers, Eczema, Debility, Ruptures, Bedwetting.

PILES & RECTAL FISTULA Treated without the knife. No Chloroform. No cutting.

EYES—Tested and glasses fitted. Granulated Lids, Conjunctivitis, Headaches, Painful Eyes.

LENSES We grind our own lenses and do our own fitting.

PAY US AS YOU ARE ABLE

AVOID UNNECESSARY OPERATIONS

Most operations can be avoided. If you have been treated by one of you several doctors, and have failed to get well, do not give up all hope.

We may be of service to you.

CONSULTATION, EXAMINATION AND ADVICE FREE

REMEMBER, you are given a thorough scientific, personal examination FREE OF CHARGE, absolutely no cost to you, and if you take treatment, we can arrange it so you ... take it, whether rich or poor. Write or call.

DR. R. E. HALEY, M. D.

DR. ... EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT

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Office with Benton Plumbing and Heating Co., 115 East Main St.
Geo. B. Moore, N. P.

Beautiful Line

New Spring COATS

JUST IN

Tom Browning

Benton Evening News

SERVE WARRANTS ON STRIKING INDIANA SENATORS

HARD ROADS CLUB MAKING EARLY PLANS

BENTON MINERS WILL NOT HELP MRS. SWEETIN

FUNERAL FOR SEN. McCORMICK HELD TODAY

GIVEN 35-YEAR BOOTLEGGING TERM

IONA BOND

CANTON, O., Feb. 25.—(AP) NEA Service)—Iona Bond, 22

REV. LITTLE RESIGNS AT FIRST BAPTIST

DEMOCRATS CLAIM UNFAIR LEGISLATION

House were represented by special

May Not Name Successor

Although he feels that duty calls

FIRE THREAT AT COURT HOUSE

West Frankfort Man Inherits Two Million Part of Huge Estate

M. C. PAGE
F. D. WHITTINGTON

By Carrier (In city) in advance, per $0.60
By Mail (In county) per year $4.00

Take, for instance, the long ha

preventing
Louis Pasteur !

Don't begrudge the doctor his money when he does acco

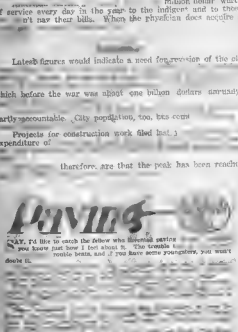
million dollar' worth
of service every day in the year to the indigent and to those
can't pay their bills. When the physician does acquire a

Latest figures would indicate a need for revision of the old

which before the war was about one billion dollars annually,
partly accountable. City population, too, has come

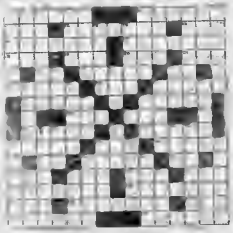
Projects for construction work filed last
expenditure of

therefore, are that the peak has been reached



CROSSWORD PUZZLE

If you've ever been on a trip to the Holy Land, you may be able to tell



Sentenced to 25 Baths

AS CITY—Police have picked
to deny that after thirty
baths they still hesitated to place
Tito in cell with other prisoners.
He said there wasn't any

World's Highest Hotel

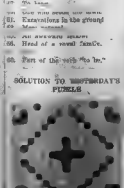
building. Even this hotel, which is

12. Rested.
13. A tree.
... and by inner works.
19. Vehicle on ... channels.
21. Deck of a ship.
23. Gaelic nickname.
24. Cash.
... Freed from pain.
... To jabb away.
... To cry.
... Large water jugs.
... Lower age.
... To transgress.
... To be sick.
... To be indebted.
... Used on top of building.
... To have issued forth suddenly.
... Metallic drinking vessel.
... To come to again.
... Bar.
... Pass out.
... One who reads prayers in a church.

VERTICAL

3. A pithouse.
5. An offset.
6. Tanned hides.
7. Ages.
... Short slumber.
... Large books.
... Wooer.
... Thin or lean.
... Excuse.
... Japanese coin.
... Two channel sounds.
... To be under obligations.
... Prophets.
... To have slightly ...
... Extensions in the ground.
... Head of a vessel family.
... Part of the verb "to be."

SOLUTION TO WEDNESDAY'S PUZZLE



REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Wm M Payne and wife to C. D. ... within war deed, cor 23th and ... ...

Ranch May Gosden and husband to L. R. Carter; war deed, can $1000.

... and wife to ... can $2500, lot 23 E. M. Rand to West Frankford.

... and wife to George A. ... warranty deed, $1000, lot ... E. Joplin's 4th addition to ...

... and wife to Kinder ... deed, $1.00 half 2 ... & 10 block 8, Sutter & ... tion to W. Frankford.

S. L. Plumlee and wife to Ben H. Read, warranty deed $1.00, lot 4 block 1, North Park addition to W. Frankford.

Plumlee, warranty deed $1000, lot 2 block 1, Sunnyside addition to W.

Oakley Hayes and wife to S. L. Plumlee, warranty deed $600, lot 3

Frankford.

... warranty deed, $1000, lot ... k 8 Hoss, Dimond and Mitchell ... Christopher.

Everett J Howell and wife to W. H. Howell, warranty deed, $2000, lot ... 2, Sullivan addition to Fr...

... J. Howell and wife to W ... warranty deed ... Martin ...

... Boston.

Bonnie Blair Park conveyed to C. McAdam, warranty deed, $150, lots 5-6-7-8 block 6, Highland addition to Ewing.

Edward J. Kendall and wife to C. J. McAfee, qit claim deed, $1.00, lots 5-6-7-8 block 6, Highland addition to Ewing.

Lowe Lowe
Specials at Glassman's
Men's Shirts
Regular $1.50 Values
95c
Men's Pajamas
Regular $3.00
$1.99
Percale
yard
10c
Gingham
ecru, special, yard
10c
Dress Gingham
10c
New Bulb Dishes
29c 98c
Gingham Silk Shirt
49c
Glass Sauce
10c
Ladies' Fancy
Handkerchiefs
5c
Silk Marquisette
49c
White Enamel
Saucers
Also plates, special set of 6
90c
Unbleached
Crepe, all colors, 36 inch
wide, special, yard
25c
Glassman's Variety Store
Bunker Hill, Illinois

PILES RECTAL CLINIC
Piles, Fistula and Rectal diseases cured
O. S. & Co.

Announcement!

We extend an invitation to all
Automobile Dealers to
attend the

St. Louis
Automobile Show

March 2nd to 7th Inclusive

Be sure and see the new Star
Million Dollar Motor for the
Million People

Durant Motors

Agricultural Articles

Attorney FRED Trobaugh of West Frankfort was a business visitor here Tuesday.

We desire to express our thanks to all who have been so kind and helpful

BLACK Sed Oats, Pedigreed

the average more than 2 to 1.

Don't you think that a pretty good for a mass with an out-door court.

Latest ready-to-wear hats. Bankers caps for women and children; all sizes of hat blocks. Have your old hat made over 207 North Market.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mc-
Mr. and Mrs. John Hengel.
Mrs. Joseph Gleffield Mr.

and Children

SALVE

Valle Hatchett the Walter Brandt pencil pusher spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mr and Mrs. George

guest of his father and family at present.

Mrs. Fred Williams has been sick but is better at the present.

thru these parts Monday.

Mrs. Mary Pemberton and Mrs. Jack Whitlock took dinner with Mrs. George Shepherd, Friday.

Last Friday, while scoop-ons for Raymond Nave we smelled the odor of smoke and looking up we saw where Uncle John Tate was cleaning off a brush patch and let the fire get uncontrollable and burned off Naves woods and pasture, some rail fence and burnt down some fence posts. Pretty bad misfortune Uncle John.

Ulis Dunlevy called on Fred Williams Tuesday.

Mows is correct this week.

KNOB PRAIRIE

We are having some bad weather at present and plenty of bad roads.

ng up a great deal of their time going to see the stars shoot. It has been rained down for five days, and it has

and Wednesday
Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Allen of Ben-

Made by Fritzius.

ziely deliver. Westland Dairy, phone 7m. 20C27

Safe Fat Reduction

Why be fat? The answer of most fat people is that constant dieting is hard, continual exercise is tiresome and exhausting—and then, too, it might be harmful to force the weight

That was the old-fashioned

Tablets all these difficulties are overcome. Just a pleasant little tablet after each meal and at bedtime

vantage of
Get a box
start taking
short time
fat reduc
vating
You wi
to notice

10 per cent in modern hives and the other 65 per cent in make shift boxes, barrels, etc. He found 67 hives infect-

to the bee when tuberculosis is in the dairy cattle and must be stamped out if the bee industry is to prosper.

Meredeth produced about 1 1-2 surplus honey to the hive.

is about an average of 80 lbs per hive. The average for the county is less than 10 lbs surplus per hive. This shows that care and skill in handling bees is a paying proposition

Geo. Ken of Medina, Ohio, addressed the beekeepers on the subject "The Business of Beekeeping." He emphasized the importance of (1) Keeping good, vigorous purebred Italian Queens (2) Proper housing in modern hives. (3) Feeding when necessary and (4) Eradicating the disease known as American Foulbrood.

The Franklin County Beekeepers Association was organized in June

beekeepers association in Southern

Indy hired James O. Lawrence

I. A. A. egg marketing department, "as he will now be able to receive pay on the basis of grade, (1-2) (3) Extras are worth, say, 10 cents per dozen; or on the new scale shown, cents U. S. No. 1's than the produce should receive the same differential as his local market.

"Co-operative marketing of eggs will help bring this differential down to the producer from the consumer in the best and quickest possible way, because co-operatively, eggs will be handled on the graded basis and producers will receive pay on a quality basis.

Fruit Growers Hire Full Time Salesman

Illinois' fruit growing industry is growing The co-operative selling of

tes; (7) U. S. Checks.

"It will be well for th

Rheumatism

RED PEPPER RUB

at all druggists Cost Cents
Now greater relief the same Zemo.

Nail's Catarrh Medicine is a Combined Vaporizer, Douche and Internal Remedy, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists.

A New Coach

Built by

Studebaker

$1295

f. o. b. factory

Hickman-Elberton Motor Co.

NO DELIVERY NO CREDIT

SEEBER'S

The place where your Cash and Produce buys more—Every day is Bargain Day

Fresh Eggs, per dozen	30c
Butternut Bread	8c
Breakfast Coffee	40c
Ward's Bread	14c
Coal Oil, per gallon	14c
Oats, per package	10c
6 bars P. & G. Soap	25c
Home Grown Onions	
Leaf Lettuce, per pound	30c
Blue Rose Rice, per lb	8c
Navy Beans, per pound	8c
pounds Potatoes	[illegible]

Lees

Staple Dry Goods

Cheaper than ever sold in Benton

Fresh and Cured Meats

We sell meat that is young and tender

Dressed Hens

Every Saturday. Our chickens are dressed ready to

SEEBER'S

Benton High Is Ready For the District Tournament

SISLER HAS THREE BATTING ZONES

American League Pitchers Insist Knee-High Ball Greatest Weakness

game the entire season of 1926.

115 points.

American League pitchers insist that Sisler now has three distinct bat-

The smart twirlers say that Sisler

lent batting stance is that it is directly opposite from the original done on

When Sisler came to the American League he was a low-ball hitter. It was almost suicide to pitch him a low

A ball pitched at

This is the sixth monthly organ recital in a series of seven planned for the winter and spring months.

The following program will be pre-

Some think that DuQuoin-Frankfort a run for her money in their first game, since it has been

The sale of season tickets is going

Illinois.

Officials have been selected for the meet, and in picking them the high

Local merchants, or others who wish to make decorations for the district tournament may make their choices from the different colors which will represent the different

Boston—Maroon and White.
West Frankfort—Cardinal and Gray.
Ina—Cardinal and Gray
Christopher—Orange and Black.
Centerville—Blue and White.
Hickory—Blue and White.
Farrville—Blue and Gold.
Sesville—Purple and Gold.

DOPESTERS IN DOUBT AS TO CHAMPIONS

Picked as Contenders in Finals; Other Teams Strong.

Benton is just about all set for the big district basketball tournament that is to be held here March 6, 7, and 7. According to word from the high school officials the morning plans have been made to accommodate all the teams who will participate, as to lodging, and whatever will be necessary to the way of improvements at the gym have been completed.

Twelve cities will send teams here to participate in this meet, and reserve crowds are expected coming our three days. Greater numbers are expected from Christopher and West Frankfort, than from any other cities, although it is expected that Pinckneyville and DuQuoin will support their teams by a splendid attendance.

picking the district champions, although they are generally agreed that the finals will be between Benton and West Frankfort, old time rivals. The record of these two teams this year

Cardinal and Gray of

of victories that gave heart to supporters. Then they lost Dale

again, they have consistently climbed to the top, and have developed

TABOR WILL TRY TO WIN MT. VERNON GAME

of Regular Squad Unless Necessary, He Says.

Benton High School will go into the game against Mt. Vernon tomorrow night to win. This announcement was given this morning by Coach Tabor of the local squad, who is putting his

City lads when they take the floor at 8:15 Friday night.

Rumors have been afloat to the effect that the locals would be held back and that they would probably be replaced by second string men to save

Coach Tabor denies so far as the players are able, will face the Mt. Vernon warriors. And they will go in to win, Coach Tabor adds. There is no reason for wanting to lose this

jeopardizing the ability of the regular players to participate in the conference.

Dunning, Lewis, and Bob Gray, guards on the regular squad, may both be out of the game, owing to their injuries. Gray was in action on this first time today after a siege of

active since he received late last

Fry, Ross and Sammons will show against Mt. Vernon, and the guards will be picked from Gassway, Hickman or Taylor. The fans all want to

THE 13th HOLE

New Sensation Broke Chick Evans' Heart By Trumping His "Ace" in Brookline Championship

By Joe Williams

Chick Evans probably was never

of the national amateur championship at Brookline in 1923.

Evans was not a favorite with the Boston gallery. A year before he had lost to Jesse Guilford, the New Englander, at St. Louis, and an interview, accredited to him, had appeared in print placing some blame for his defeat on gamblers who had backed him against the match.

The Boston gallery had interpreted this as an slight on the part of Evans and when their two favorites, Guilford and Oulmer, already out of the tournament, they rooted for Sweetser.

The Scrappy blond had been the darlin' throughout the day. Chick seemed to have a chance up to the ninth. Here Sweetser's second was unable five feet and he cut down for a birdie three and went back to his accustomed lead of three up, carried over from the morning round. The tenth was halved. Chick won the eleventh, both overshot the short twelfth entirely, and was again three down, but still in the fight, as they

Both had fine drives, with Chick slightly back. His second was magnificent and stopped six feet from the pin. It looked closer than that from the playing point, almost against the flag.

But Sweetser never batted an eye. Swinging his heavy-ribbed, deep-faced mashie with his peculiar stiff wrist swipe, he punched out a high

the way and looked as if it was going to hole out.

The ball stopped in line with the cup and a foot nearer than Chick's wonderful shot. Chick had to putt first. Small wonder he missed

It didn't decide the championship on that green but it showed what could be accomplished by a terry player under fire. Likewise the disappointment that sometimes follows a master shot by a contending opponent.

LINK BANKER'S NAME IN RUM INVESTIGATION

Believed to Be the Owner of a Liquor

Since Back, was brought into the bootlegging investigation by the pi-

Gant, according to confession of

owner of the large stock of whiskey

part of this liquor and setting it to

mer petroleum, who had been

.. PAIN ..

produces Pain not only in the feet but in many other parts of the body?

You may not think much of it. If you have neighbors we are trying to grow.

Only don't tell your rival in business or politics—he will feel as good as you do.

LET US SHOW YOU THE MANY EXCLUSIVE NEW SPRING STYLES IN GOOD RELIABLE FOOT WEAR AT POPULAR PRICES—THAT WE ARE RECEIVING DAILY FOR MEN, WOMEN, CHILDREN.

Burkhart's

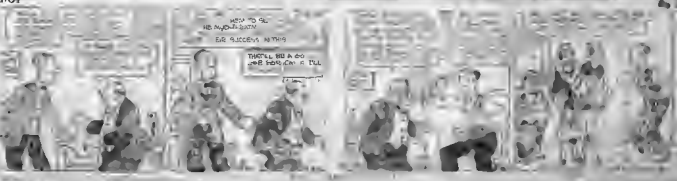
Cured
Ten Pounds
CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

For Justice of the Peace

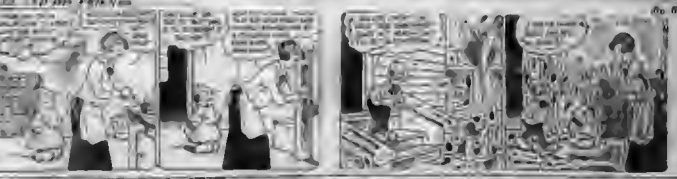
JERRY ON THE JOB

LITTLE MISS FIX-IT

MOM'N POP



FOXY GRANDPA AND HIS FRIENDS



THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

Classified Ads

...ight housekeeping ...
...ndon, 405 W. Webster

FOR RENT—6-room house, modern improvements, light, heat, hot and cold water, good location, on paved street. Inquire at Sheriff's office. J. A. Lewis. L. Orem.

FOR RENT—Bedroom, with home; gentlemen preferred. Phone 181 ... 1007 North Main. 6...

...boys 10 months old. Reward for ... return of same to 106 West Main Street.

...FOUND
...ight Jersey cow ... may have by paying for ad and feed. Enquire at Fair Grounds.

...ight housekeeping Phone 3...

FOR SALE—
Inquire 990 N. Midvale.

FOR SALE—Store and ... house, Enoch Stanevich, 606 N ... vennel St.

FOR SALE—Lot ... lead rod to Benton. A bargain if ... en at once.—Peerie Blair, Bickmore.

FOR SALE—Two extra good bed springs, reasonable.—220 W Main or call 74. 201f

...range, good condition ... store, Phone 640

FOR SALE—second hand dining table and davenette suite in ... condition, cheap. Union H ... ishing Co.

FOR SALE—eggs for setting, pure ... Wyandotte. Tel for 15 eggs ... $1 per 100.—Mrs. Clyde Starr, 5 miles north of Benton. ... 401d

FOR SALE—Star touring car; A1 condition, at bargain; reason for selling party leaving town. For particulars see Chas. Hayes at Standard Oil Company plant. Phone ... 204f

FOR SALE—$100 Axminister rug ... good shape, $65 for quick sale ... Inq. J. A. Lewis, at Sheriffs Office Phone 136

HOGS FOR BATCHES
... ebnia white Wyandotte ... strain Anconas, $1.00 for 15. Super ... prize in lots of 100. W. K. Daily, 3-4 mile northwest of Hart Williams ... 400f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1918 Paige roadster, 12 gauge Remington shot gun; 17 jewel Illinois watch, and a cow.—Clyde Thurston, 2 miles West ... mile South of Benton

FOR SALE—My equity of interest in an established business. Easily capitalized. Profits (not receipts) ... $400 per month. Money absolutely secured. Books open. $4800, cash ... $2000 balance notes or good real estate clear. Have other business interests. Box 788 West Frankfort.

FOR SALE—Farm of 110 acres, 3 miles from Benton, one mile from state road, ¼ mile from church and store, ½ mile road and mail route ... house, ben house and cistern. H ...

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Theatre's Radio Program

...gram, 7 music, ... orchestra.
WGN, Chicago
WGR, Buffalo—7 variety; 8 Victor hour; 9 orphesis
WNAG, Chicago

...announced 8.50 lectures, 9.15 choir.
WJZ, Chicago Tribune—6 organ, ... rumbaba, string quintet, 8 soprano, 10 dance
KYW Chicago—7 concert, 7.30 speech 8 reading, 8.30 musical; 9.15 good roads 10 no hours, 1 a. m. Ensemble Club, Highlanders
WLW, Cincinnati—6 concert, ... 8 chorus, 10 60 quartets. Melody boys
WEAR, Cleveland—6 music, 7 concert ... Instrumental, Victor artists, 11 orchestra, songs
WHO, Des Moines—1 Cotillion orchestra
WHAP, Ft. Worth—7.30 program, 8.30 concert.
KHJ, Los Angeles—8 Concert, 8 children 12 instrumental, voice ... 20 orchestra, 6 dance
Philadelphia—5:05 orchestra, 6 talk 7 concert, 9 66 dance
KDKA Pittsburgh—7 farm program, 7 20 concert, 10 concert
Schenectady 6.30 hour chimes 13 comedy; 1-15 organ
Louis—7 orchestra, 9 soprano contralto address

West Frankfort Man Inherits Two Million Part of Huge Estate

...ed from Germany
...Baker it has been established was William T. Baker's great-uncle

For more than two years the Baker heirs have been attempting to get their money. Recently it was reported that a settlement was near, but large realized corporation running into Philadelphia, according to Mr. Baker, refused and asked time to consider. Case Baker several notes on them that after the period of time had expired, a suit would be instituted

William T. Baker, was born in Ohio, ... in Illinois ... Frankfort since 1901. With Mrs. Baker he resides on South Madison street, and is employed as a machinist, specializing in repairing farm machinery. Mr. and Mrs. Baker are the parents of four children Geo. W. Edgar Baker, Mrs. Susan Harris, living in Salem county, Mrs Orfelia Jones of ... time pastoral ... in the ancient, high-wheel, gasoline buggy, which he has driven about the city for years. The charge, charging of the gas engine which propels the antique vehicle, long since replaced by modern motor cars creates a sensation among strangers as Mr Baker propelle it about the streets of the city

Asked what he will do with his two million dollars—his share of the estate—if successful in obtaining it, Mr. Baker says:

Well, I'll buy a new pair of overalls and get my hair bobbed when it ...

AUDUCAL BOY SCOUT DRIVE GOING GOOD

...Indications at 5 o'clock this afternoon were that the people of Benton had gone over the top in the very first day of the drive for funds for their part in the Coal Belt Boy Scout Council. Workers have been busy all day soliciting from different individuals and business places, and according to reports that were hi the hands of Geo. A. Powers, chairman of the finance committee, early this afternoon, the full quota of $1600 will have been raised by Sunset.

Mr. Powers could give out nothing ... tin-ale, ... agement ... who have been the part in this worthy undertaking

"So far people have been responsive even better than we had expected," Mr. Powers told a reporter for the Evening Star. "At once a greater amount had been subscribed than were drives ... had subscribed a day, I don't ... quota ... any ... done."

He expressed deep gratitude for the splendid interest that has been shown thus far in the financial part of the Benton Scout activities. The people have been generous in their ... the things that Boy Scouts do, and can be more conscientious in their work and giving.

Benton Scouts have taken great at different meets held for the larger organization, and there would have been from Benton than from any other city in the two counties who took advantage of the Scout Camp near Goreville last year.

It is the intention of the finance committee to overload, so one who might want to have a part in this work, and those who could not be reached today, may know that Boy will be given an opportunity to help in a later date.

Judge Webb Unites Two Couples

Judge Webb yesterday united two couples in marriage shortly after they had obtained their licenses in the office of County Clerk Wolf.

The first couple was Leo Hill Grigsby of DeQuoin and Charlotte Taylor, of ... was Ethel

...RED, WATERY EYES

You will be astonished at the quick results from simple compress, with hot water, etc., as relief is Liquids ... Tablets ... very ... Wolf.

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Butter, Country Club, Per pound	45c
Syrup, Karo, Blue Label pound can	34c
Potatoes, 15 pounds	25c
Flour, Country Club, 24-pound sack	$1.39
fancy parlor 9½c	Crackers 2½ lb package 45c
12 c. cotton 40c	13c
Lard, pure kettle rendered 19½c	Standard No. 2 13c
Olio Crisco 28c	Oats, bulk, 2 pounds. 8c
Apple Butter quart jar 23c	Corn Meal 5 pounds 18c
Peach Country Club 23c	per pound 18c
...ada wheat 3...	Smoked Cathers 20½c

Try French Brand Coffee 49c Per Pound

A Most Wonderful Tonic

can't sleep well.

Eye-Tone

A Doctor's Prescription
(Use 4 Drops Medicine)

that makes you feel like a different person altogether

For Conjunctivitis, take Eye-Tone

Notice To Tax Payers

The Tax Books are now in the hands of the various Collectors. Pay Personal Tax at once and save costs.

Geo. H. Kirk, County Treasurer

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"WILD ORANGES"
with
Frank Mayo
Virginia Valli
Ford Sterling

Never a moment that lags—never a second that or without a new surprise and thrill—

Fables and Comedy

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Richard Talmadge

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Tom Mix

and his wonder horse Tony in his story of the west

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First National Bank Bldg.

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1925 Auto Licenses
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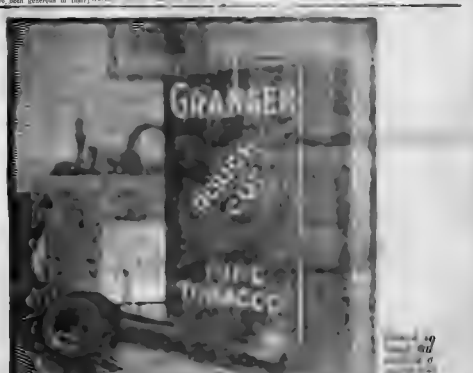

Its coolness and mellow "*body*" are a revelation to pipe smokers

Back *about* 1870, James N. Wellman developed a secret tobacco process which was instant and widespread favor. *It yielded a fuller-bodied richness, mildness and fragrance* which just seemed to "go" with a pipe. No one else ever knew his secret until we acquired Wellman's Method and by its means made *Granger Rough Cut*

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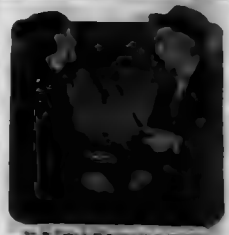
Benton Evening News

BENTON, ILLINOIS, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1933

FATHERS AND SONS ENJOY CLASS BANQUET

LAY McCORMICK TO REST; DENEEN TO FILL TERM

Woman Must Hang Unless Saved by Georgia Governor



CANDIDATES COME THICK IN TOWN RACE

14 HOOSIER SENATORS ARE BACK AT WORK

JURY FREES MEN CHARGED WITH MAIL PLOT

that will last.

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Mr. Pyle resides just east of Wm.

WM. EDVALDI ON DENTON VETS' QUOTA $1200

Y BOY PROGRAM

KNIGHTS HELP SCOUT

SIMS OPPOSES UNIT AIR FLEET

log off the shaft and blowing it from

About Early Immigrations of Judge English

Farrington Cup Game Is Played Low Score

games that will be played between the leaders of the St. Louis Soccer League and an Eastern eleven, which will be set up here after the regular season.

ed week this morning that he will ring for the radio on Saturday morning for the radio or Saturday morning at 8 o'clock over station WIBO, the

Wernle, who wanted to marry Pickens' daughter, against Pickens wishes and that Wernle could have had no reason

the Collins' farm by the same victim. The note alleges if their relation ship, Lee Collins is "not sincere" marriage."

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opportunity to ...

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Curtain Goods Marquisette in white and ecru, special, yard 10c

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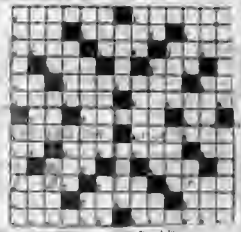
Silk Marquisette Curtain Goods Special, yard 49c

White Cups and Saucers Also plates special set of 6 98c

25c

Glassman's Variety Store
South Main Street Benton, Illinois

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



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Today's Radio Program

... Los Angeles—Jack ... program; 10 ... violin, guitar, banjoist, vo...

KHJ, Los Angeles—8 concert; 8:30

Premiers Stress Debts Curbs

BERLIN, February 27.—(By A. P.) President Ebert's physicians expressed the opinion this morning that he had successfully passed the crisis

Saturday Specials:

20c
20c
16c
25c
6c
pounds

CARROTS
GREEN PEPPERS
PARSNIPS
CELERY
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SWEET POTATOES
GRAPE FRUIT
ORANGES
LEMONS

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MAYONNAISE Dressing ... 25c
MOTHER'S APPLE VINEGAR ... 60c
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Cash Grocery Co.
CLIFF DAVIS, Prop.

All Lase—

THREE KILLED AS TRAIN HITS AUT

CHICAGO Feb ...

... & St. Paul rail ... near here, resi...

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

... and Sugar ... if you a large bottle of ... Sulphur, compounded by the Ingredients, all ready ... this cheap home ... and easily that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, ... simply dampen a comb or ... and draw it through your ... hair strand at a time. By ... erer has discovered ... sel-

Mrs. Hanson and ... were killed instantly, ... was rushed up in ... condition and died on ... ...

The Day with the Dame ...

when ...

Lipstick—As ... course lockjaw had set on the top of ... Ada side Street, London's latest sky-scraper. Bad to hang out on the roof. ...

16.
19.
20.

Notice Difference In Way You Feel In 14 Hours or Less!

PILES

Miss Gelith Nichols entertained the Girls A. R. C. Club at her home in Brinkley avenue, last evening.

The earlier part of the evening was spent in discussing the business matters of the club. After that the girls were entertained with a reading given by Bertha Jones and piano solos by Katherine Davis and Dorothy Roberts. The rest of the evening was spent in dancing. At a late hour refreshments were served, after which the guests departed, declaring that one and all had spent a very enjoyable evening.

COACH BUTLER TO SPEAK IN MARION

Coach Butler of the Illinois foot ball team will speak before the Young Men's Bible class, which is formed of 50 high school students in Marion, on Sunday morning, Feb. 28.

Wilson Stilson is ill at his home on East Church street.

Don Brown returned last night from a business trip to St. Louis.

Mr. Stanley Brown, who has been ill at his home on 8th street since reported much better this morning.

Bert Begley, mayor of West Frankfort was in Benton on business this morning.

Lawrence Wagner made a business trip to St. Louis yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hill who reside northeast of Benton are the parents

BEAUTY SPOT PICTURES ON DISPLAY

The scenic pictures of Illinois which are being shown at the Baptist church under the auspices of the Benton Women's Club will not be shown Saturday, but will again be on exhibition Monday and Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Ormie Glass left this morning for Carrollton, where she will spend the week end at the Alpha Chi Omega House and attend the week-end military ball.

Mrs. Ray Cook and baby daughter, of Christopher visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Keigley yesterday afternoon.

Robert Hill of DuQuoin who suffered a stroke of paralysis some days ago is getting along fine and slowly recovering. Mr. Hill is a brother of Deputy Sheriff Bill Hill of this city.

NOTICE TO R. A. MASONS

There will be work this evening at 7:00 in the R. A. M. degree. Please come Refreshments.

The Triangle Club of the First

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District Basket Ball Tournament

ON SALE AT

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and HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING, Room 39

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The Herrin Supply Company's Special, for one week: 25c Value Bean for 16c; 60c Value Bands for 28c; 15c Size Paper for 10c. All kinds of chewing gum, 5 packages for 10c; 25c boys and girls stockings at 15c pr.

Big Bargains at the Herrin Supply Company for this week. $1.25 aluminum Ware at 85c; 8qt hot fast flowers at 19c and 25c. $1.25 ch mop at 85c. Garden seeds, 5 packages for 10c. 30c sole leather, for 20c pair. See our big special in Men and Boys Overalls and work shirts.

Ted Bauer was a visitor in Mt. Vernon yesterday.

Cottage Cheese made daily, we deliver daily. Southwest Dairy, phone 708.

$400 cash, buys 2-room house, and furniture complete.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

George W Hubbard and wife to W J. Hicks, war deed, $2200, lot 4 Zeigler Coal Co. 5th add to Zeigler

Ottie Hill and wife to R. C. Kinney war deed, $100; lot 17 blk 17, Orig. ... add to West Frankfort

Mitchell, war. deed, $500 1-2 lot 13 blk 2 Coleman fourth add to West

Jas. P Baggott and wife to Paul and Mercedes Coe, war deed, $1, lots 33 and 34 blk 1 Zeigler Coal Co., 10th add. to Zeigler

Ernest Morgan and wife to Frank Morgan, war. deed, $1, lot 14 blk 1 Zeigler Coal Co. 3rd add to Zeigler

George P Baggot and wife to Geo. Carter, earnest war. deed, $1, lots 37 and 38 blk 1 Zeigler Coal Co., eighth add to Zeigler.

Zeigler Coal Co. to Joseph Parsons, war. deed, $975, lot 3 blk 17 Zeigler Coal Co., eighth add to Z.

E. S. Bundy and wife to Smith quit claim deed, $1,

Rice and wife to B. A. Hill war. deed, $150; lot 8 in sub-div 24-

Bad Luck In Dreams

Sydney, Australia—The party supposed to be of Floyd Collins at Cave City, Ky., have caused old dreams here to recall that in the early '90's a tiny

The Trembling Green

London, Eng.—It's the bridegroom and not the bride who trembles at the marriage ceremony, says Dr. Wallett, prominent churchman. He were he a free, free hand when signing the marriage register, while the

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A Grouch Not Wanted

There is nothing so harmful to success as being a grouch. Stomach, liver and or sluggish bowels make one grouchy. Mayo's Wonderful Tablets will remove these and similar results.

Get advice to everyone to chew up especially

Grants Certain All To Vote

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 8 (By A. P.)—Failure to vote "the denomenator and should be punished as such," in the opinion of Henry P. Wilson of Pinckneyville, who has introduced a bill in the Senate that if elected will compel every qualified voter to vote, or pay a fine.

The bill would require all qualified voters to register and vote in the coming election, with the exception that the bill would not apply to voters on

the bill provides that all persons convicted of failing to vote shall be deem ed guilty of a misdemeanor and fined not to exceed $10 or imprisoned in the county jail, not to exceed ten days.

Management of Wood Lot Is Better in the East

Eastern farmers are ahead of their western brethren in the management of the farm wood lot. There the wood

which it enters and ... It is the area of most ... vision.

NO DELIVERY — NO CREDIT

SEEBER'S

The place where your Cash and Produce buys more---Every day is Bargain Day

A high grade Flour...	$1.15
Nice Oranges, per doz..	23c
Fresh Eggs, per dozen	40c
Butternut Bread	8c
Breakfast Coffee	49c
Ward's Bread .	14c
Coal Oil, per gallon..	14c
Oats, per package..	10c
6 bars P. & G. Soap..	25c
Home Grown Onions	
Leaf Lettuce, per pound..	30c
Blue Rose Rice, per lb.	9c
Navy Beans, per pound.	8c
15 pounds Potatoes .	25c

We save you money on pickles and olives

SHOES—SHOES

We sell Quality Shoes For Less

Staple Dry Goods

Cheaper than ever sold in Benton

Fresh and Cured Meats

We sell meat that is young and tender

Dressed Hens

Every Saturday. Our chickens are dressed ready to cook.

SEEBER'S

QUICK, SOMEON, A CONTRACT!

Queenie Thomas, who has been delighting stage audiences in London with her beauty, plans to come to America if she can get contract. London critics call her the most beautiful [illegible]

Serenaders Coming Monday, Tuesday

[illegible]

and 3

"After a [illegible] lid week's engagement [illegible] Grand theatre, Jonesboro [illegible]

through the week, the Serenaders made their [illegible] ance at the Gem theatre [illegible]

"The popularity of this peerless musical organization beat them to Blytheville and they were greeted [illegible] an overflowing house, in fact [illegible]

naders in person are al [illegible] radio friends in the city had expected of them, and more. Local fans have enjoyed numbers by this orga[illegible] tion as broadcast from many stat[illegible] in the country and their [illegible] here was greeted with enthusiasm.

"Their music is sublime. Their execution of any class of [illegible] tion is marvelous and their technique is beyond criticism. They please [illegible] the highest degree, every [illegible] the music loving public."

[illegible]

married the exiled k[illegible] Princess Hermine is signing her letters "Her Majesty, the Kaiserin." The signature was first noticed on a letter of condolence in connection with the mine disaster at Dortmund, which [illegible]

CHAMP WALKER

WILLIE PLANT

It took two decisive victories over Ugo Frigerio, champion of Europe, to have the real ability of Willie Plant, America's premier walker, appreciated.

Frigerio came to this country expecting to create as great a sensation as did Nurmi, but found in Plant a walker who had it all over him. Plant represents the Morningside A. C. of New York.

POISON BOOZE SOLD TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT

Member of Senior Class in Vernon High School is [illegible]

[illegible]ERNON, Ill., Feb. [illegible] class of 1925, graduates [illegible] school, Sam Austin of Keens, a son [illegible] probably not be among the [illegible]

[illegible] and with [illegible] have examined him [illegible] suffering from [illegible] ago, to drinking [illegible] poison booze [illegible]

[illegible] Mt. Vernon [illegible]

The Keens boy who is 19 years of [illegible] the high sc[illegible] ing good p[illegible] to pay his way throug[illegible] acting [illegible] and out [illegible] bars of [illegible]

Several weeks a[illegible] he becam[illegible] violently ill and his vision failed [illegible] was taken to an eye speciali[illegible] said he could do nothing f[illegible] him as [illegible] with wood [illegible]

[illegible] poison. Doctors who examined the young [illegible] state that bad booze is the probable [illegible] his suffering.

His brain became affected and he [illegible] ous for long intervals.

For a time it was feared that he would not recover, but his father states the boy is getting better and he hoped he would be able to [illegible]

"He can't go back to school—not anyway," the father said.

[illegible] son [illegible]

[illegible] claimed to agree with the medical men [illegible] as the cause of his trouble.

The boy's mind is all right now, and he will not lose it," the father [illegible]

asked [illegible] son had obtained the [illegible] said from the bes[illegible] have been in Mt. Vernon [illegible] "I'll never stop this until they [illegible] some of those fellows to the penitentiary," he said. "They don't [illegible] em to care anything for fines and [illegible] sentences"

[illegible] naries for the rest of their [illegible] s. The prince, a grandnephew of Napoleon, became wealthy when he married the daughter of M. Blanc, the enormously rich founder of Monte Carlo.

[illegible] BILLS [illegible] CALENDAR OF ASSEMBLY

Loan Sharks, Rentals, Garnishment and Other Measures

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 27.—(By A. P.)—Employes of cities, towns townships and school districts will no longer be exempt from garnishment wages if a bill introduced by Rep. Emmet F. Wilson, Rockford, is approved by the general assembly. At present such persons are exempt.

Senator Adelbert H. Roberts, Chicago, has introduced two bills to amend the garnishment law. One is similar to that offered by Wilson and the other provides a change in the method of serving notice of a garnishment [illegible] tion.

Loan sharks would have duller teeth than at present under the terms of a bill sponsored by Senator Kessinger Aurora. It would reduce the maximum legal rate of interest on loans from three and one-half to one and one-half per cent a month.

Senator Lowell B. Mason, Oak Park, has introduced a bill that would permit the issuance of permits for work outside of school hours to minors over 14 years of age. No hearing has yet been held on the measure which was referred to the co[illegible] [illegible] ers.

Four bills by Rep. C. B. Sawyer, Kankakee, would provide changes in the judicial code governing the work of probate courts. A definite process for the sale of property owned by [illegible] natics, drunkards and spendthrifts" is provided for in one measure. Another would amend the law in relation to the manner of advertising sales in the administration of estates; a third would amend the law governing the sale of property to satisfy judgments and the fourth would amend the law in relation to property in estates administered by guardians.

Defacement of rental batteries by the renters would be an offense against the law under the terms of a bill introduced by Rep. Emmett Wilson, Rockford.

Provision for discontinuing community high school is made in a bill of [illegible] Rep. Robert Whiteley, Car[illegible] [illegible], provides that where the [illegible] 5 pupils [illegible] enth the school may be discontinued on vote of two thirds of the citizens of the district. Where the [illegible] erage attendance has been less than 75, a vote of 60 per cent would con[illegible]

[illegible] sanitariums for the treatment of tuberculosis would get more money if a bill by Senator Glackin, Chicago is passed. It would increase the maximum tax limitation from one mill to one and one-half mills.

"The ends of justice would be better served if all defendants in criminal cases were provided with adequate counsel" in the opinion of Rep. William E. King, negro, Chicago, who has introduced a measure which would require counties to pay the court expenses of such defendan[illegible]

Residents of Illinois will be able to fight mosquitoes in the same manner that they fight swamps, if a measure introduced by Senator Roos of Chicago, becomes a law. The bill proposes to legalize the formation of mosquito abatement districts somewhat similar to drainage districts. Such organizations would organize anti-mosquito campaigns on a legal basis and would enable the residents of a community to co-operate, through the county organization, in the elimination of mosquitoes. Such districts would be governed by a board of five trustees and [illegible] he bill provides that "the board of trustees shall have power to take all necessary of proper steps for the extermination of mosquitoes, flies, or other insects within the district, and subject to the paramount control of municipal or other public authorities, to abate as nuisances all stagnant pools of water and other breeding places for mosquitoes, flies or other insects within the district, to purchase supplies, to employ labor, to build and maintain levees, cuts and canals." Finances for the work are to be collected through a levy on all property in the district.

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DU QUOIN, Ill., Fe[illegible] A. P.)—A [illegible] this city is drafting [illegible] troduced to the [illegible] would compel [illegible]

[illegible] illustrates the possibilities of pr[illegible] and bordered [illegible] Such a dress requires very little sewing and is quite finished when it has an organdie collar and a sash. The color scheme he[illegible] The material is black and white and the sash is a lovely sapphire blue.

[illegible]

young [illegible] at Tamaroa, north of here, [illegible] injured and left [illegible] re[illegible] cause the car that hit her was driven by [illegible] or money [illegible]

Copies of the proposed bill will be sent to Senator [illegible] ry Wilson and Representatives [illegible] Waller, both of Perry County.

Regal Radio Fans

Tokyo—The Emperor and Empress of Japan have become radio fans. A powerful receiving set has been installed in the [illegible] madzu Impe[illegible] l Villa [illegible]

THE 13th HOLE

How Circumstances Conspired at Inverness to Cheat Diegel Out of the Open Honors

(By Joe Williams)

[illegible] speak, from the open championship. Toledo that Leo Diegel found himself on the threshold of international fame, a mere mashie shot, so to speak, from the open championship.

At the thirteenth hole, where so many golf ambitions have trembled [illegible] to ruin, Diegel was apparently all set to sail into the harbor of riches and contentment. But [illegible] happened.

Diegel changed horses, or rather caddies, in mid-stream and the misfortune that followed whipped him. Diegel had played the first nine holes of his last round and was going well when a famous amateur, who had [illegible] the young professional to let him carry his sticks—and advise him.

The amateur was well meaning enough, and Diegel was probably de[illegible] [illegible] get rocked off par at 10, 11 and 12 [illegible] were clustering the course. Word [illegible] fight [illegible] recall was featured by the pr[illegible] tee of Vardon and Ray.)

With five holes to go Diegel really seemed to have a splendid chance. Ordinary scoring would bring him through. There was a stampede to [illegible] fans were herded together so closely they were using one another's handkerchiefs unknowingly.

As Diegel reached the top of his swing a gallery official bellowed "Down in front!" Diegel topped his drive. A few moments later a hound for statistics galloped to [illegible] scene, and, as Diegel was debating whether to use a light iron or a heavy one on his second shot, the fiend hissed in his ear, "Ray's home with 296."

With his concentration again [illegible] trap and finally finished the thirteenth hole with a seven, where par was only four. And even then he was only a stroke back of the winner at the finish.

A gallery can make a mighty difference. Playing without a gallery on those last five holes Diegel might have won the title by two or three strok[illegible]

"Why didn't they wait until I had finished the thirteenth hole anyway," sorrows Diegel.

$2,000,000 In New University Buildings, Plan

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 27 [illegible]

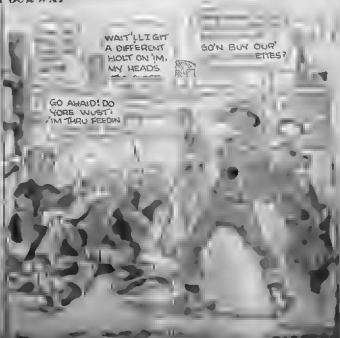
[illegible] ed in the next two years, if the legislature and the governor approve the appropriation bill for that institution now in the senate committee on ap[illegible]

The bill provides for $2,000,000 worth of buildings and $8,500,000 for the other expense of the institution during the next two years. A building to house architecture and other kindred subjects is the only new building proposed, estimated to cost $500,000. An equal sum is proposed for the second unit of the new university library building. Additions and improvements to the university armory would cost $460,000. An addition to the school of pharmacy in Chicago would cost $350,000 and an additional wing and equipment for the gymnasium. $225,000.

More than $3,000,000 are needed to meet the university's pay roll for each of the two years, and office expenses, printing and publications would cost $40,000 per annum. Operation expenses were estimated at $460,000 annually and repairs at $150,000 each year. Equipment would add $290,000 annually and improvements, other than new buildings, $120,000 per [illegible]

We never have smoked op[illegible]

OUT OUR WAY — By Williams



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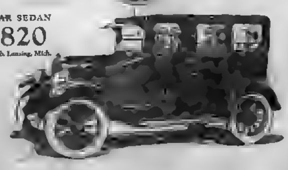

Remarkable Averages Reported by Star Owners

2[illegible] Star owners drove 2,976,234 miles at a total cost of $1,793.31 [illegible] mechanical repairs and re[illegible]

5[illegible] Star owners, driving more than five and a half million miles, averaged 24.9 miles per gallon [illegible]

[illegible] drove an average of 10,527 miles on a set of tires.

To drive their cars, it cost these owners, on the average—for mechanical repairs and replacements, about one-seventeenth cent a mile; for gasoline, approximately one cent a mile; for tires, about one-half a cent a mile.

[illegible] dence of Star [illegible]

[illegible] Mich.

PALESTINE

G. V Upchurch and wife visited Sabbath in Boston, South Gladwin.

Kinter was over to Post Pat playing with Harry Upchurch last week.

Conner has his house painted.

Ada and Farrell Presley of Marion, visited relatives in this community Sunday.

Dr. C. H. Upchurch of Bellevilla, visited his brother John and family Sunday.

George R. Upchurch attends High School debate at Freeland Tuesday night.

There are several new [illegible] erected along the [illegible] Sandstone House

[illegible] and looking at

Lawrence Wilke [illegible] addition of two [illegible] and will soon be [illegible]

A. L. Jenkins [illegible] Wayne county

Mrs. Bruner of Benton was out to his farm last Saturday, and reported that he had [illegible] and acres of [illegible] in Pine county.

G. V Upchurch nursing a very sore finger.

[illegible] in a [illegible] while helping Dee House dig a cistern.

The heavy rains of the last few days have greatly hindered the progress of [illegible] and planting and [illegible]

LOGAN NEWS

Saturday night on the [illegible] high basketball game [illegible] defeated the Ina high school [illegible] for the second time [illegible] The final score was 27 to 22 [illegible] Legion be [illegible]

This w[illegible] Gladwin-Ith Ver[illegible] have games prepa[illegible] tion held at Mt. [illegible]

[illegible] was over from [illegible]

Shop stores which are managed by the town men, Jamie and Harry, Mrs. Crop was well satisfied to the way their stores here are being run.

[illegible] Chicago where Mr. Hamlin has been employed for some [illegible]

Vasell Brazel of the Blythe Construction Co., left for his home at Farina Monday, for a few days visit with his parent.

Floyd Bell and wife attended the West Frankfort-Centralia basketball games at West Frankfort last Friday night.

George Melford, Peter Kalbus and Andrew Kalbus motored to Harrisburg last Saturday night.

Sherman Phillips of Thompsonville was a business visitor in Logan last Saturday.

Rube Ball and Day Moore motored to Dalquin Tuesday night to see their lady friends. We wish Rube and Day would confine their "woo-ing" where home.

Hesle Crop is visiting Mayesville, Ky.—John Taylor came rolling into town with 680 pounds of tobacco in a horse. He explained he didn't have a wagon and borrowed the undertaker's hearse.

BUCKNER

By RUTH BRIGGS

Miss Anna Palansky returned to her work in St. Louis Tuesday morning after a three weeks visit with her parents.

[illegible] and Mrs. Earl Pregmore of Harris were visitors at the home of the latter, Mrs. George Webster, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Zella Parker returned to St. Louis Tuesday afternoon after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bruner went to St. Louis on business.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sellits was in Benton on business Wednesday morning.

Several people from here attended the funeral of Mr. Al Dyer Sunday afternoon.

SHILOH SCHOOL

The stork called at Mr and Mrs J Bates, February 18, leaving a girl of which the whole family are proud. Now who says Shiloh is depopulating.

Mr. John Bates and son Harold were shopping in Benton, Saturday.

B. H. Winningham was seen on the streets of Whittington Saturday.

Mrs. Adeline Jumbots is staying with Mrs. Ba[illegible]

Earl Neal visited Everett Beaty Tuesday night.

Mr Robert Powell visited Shiloh school Tuesday

Pupils making highest grades for week ending February

First Mary Wheeler [illegible]

[illegible] around [illegible] has returned to Shiloh, having located on the T. B. Quillins farm.

Chas. Marin another wanderer has returned to his boyhood play-ground and located on the Skinner farm near the Shiloh Church house.

Mrs Beaty and family attended [illegible] D. Sanders visited Varney Sanders of Benton Sunday

Mrs Everett Williams of [illegible] visited in Shiloh Sunday

OBITUARY

Mrs. Blanche Bell Scott, Born Feb 5, 1884. Departed this life February 24, 1923. Aged 41 years, 19 days. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and four children, viz. Mrs. Pearl Dennis, Mrs. Edith Griffith and Mr Howard Reed of this ill Theodore Reed of Wallace; also five children, she leaves four brothers and one sister. Mrs Buskeye, Mr. J. E. Dennis of Mr James Dents of Mt. Vernon, Ill., H. O. Dennis of St. Louis and G. W. [illegible]nnis of Walconvill.

She was united in marriage to Solomon Reed, Dec. 30, 1899. To this union [illegible] four children, Pearl [illegible] and Theodore. In 1911 [illegible] marriage to J. A Scott, who still survives her. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs Henry A Dennis old settlers of Jefferson county, who has preceded her to the great beyond.

Mrs. Scott died after an extended illness. She bore her suffering with great patience and was always ready at all times to greet her friends, who called on her frequently. She was loved by one and all. She professed faith [illegible] joining in a service here. She enjoyed telling her neighbors and friends that the Lord had saved her, and that she was ready to live or die.

One from us is gone,
A voice we loved is stilled
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

Marriage Licenses

Walter Aldrich, 27, Christopher, and Ruth Biden, 20, Logan.

Clyde Throgmorton, 22, and Lois [illegible]

Louis Fisher, 21, and Blanche Lagrin 20, both of West Frankfort.

Odell Melville, 21, and Julia Kelly 18, both of West Frankfort.

[illegible]

Victor Records for March

[illegible] Pianos Moment Musical — Chalupka
Harry Lauder's Rendezvous — Harry Lauder
The Penny — Chalupka
Cupido—Waltz (Gallina) — Gallo Cello
Serenade (Gabriel Pierne) — Gallo Cello 1061
Habanera (Spanish Dance) Violin Solo
Dance of the Gnomes (Liszt)
Dance—Adelina Mogador (Chamber) for Violin Solo
Sweet Lass from Lucia (Donizetti) — Schipa
Be Jealous — Schipa

[illegible] Yes I'm Not a Flower from an Old Bouquet — Harry Ross
Nobody Knows What a Bad-Hearted Woman Can Do — Helen Clark Clifford Sharp
Bachelor's Day (Gershwin's Song) with Violin — Michael Bauboy

PIPE ORGAN SOLOS
Chandler Wolf's Revenge — Rex Chandler
Never Shall I Love Blue Eyes — Tom Hobart

MELODIOUS INSTRUMENTAL
Blue Danube Serenade — Victor Concert Orchestra
Blue Danube Waltz — Victor Concert Orchestra 18086 10
Old Folks at Home (Foster) — Violin Solo — Gaudiani
The Wee Sleeper — Gaudiani 18088
Bluebells of the Scotland (Collins-Godfrey) — Goldman Band 18089

Red, Red Rose (Lover Gentle Lass "Mandolin Accompaniment") — Richard
The Wind and Rain — Macall
Collegian Song — The Sousa Musical Magazine 19044
Laughing Song — The Sousa Musical Magazine
Southland Serenade — Frank Cassini
Star Spangled Banner and Sunny Tennessee Medley — Frank Cassini 19049

Without and Sullivan's "Mikado" complete in one album

Stegmeyer-Woolard Drug Co.

Big Whiskey Combine [illegible] Erie—The three [illegible] and steel have been added to the [illegible] of products of the Krupp [illegible] The metal is from the [illegible] formerly used in making [illegible]

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The Latest Creations in Hats are now being displayed

We also have a new line of babies knit capes and sl bonnets. Come in and let us help you make your selections early

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MEATS AND GROCERIES

Sugar Cured Bacon . . . 25c

Pork Steak pound 20c | Fine Ground Sausage lb 17½c

Fancy Flank Steak. lb. 20c

No. 10 Pail Swift or Armours Pure Lard 1.75 | Fresh Spare Ribs 17c Per Pound

Best Rib Boiling Beef . . 6c | Frankforts Per pound 20c

Best Beef Roast . 14c

FRESH GROUND Hamburger 10c | Pork Shoulder Whole or Lower Quarter 17c

10 lbs. Granulated Sugar 70c

BEANS Per Can . . 9c | 3 Bars of Palm Olive Soap 20c

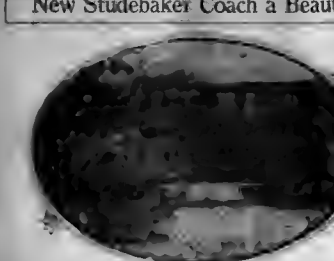
POTATOES per peck 25c | Good Coffee, per pound 40c

6 Bars P & G Soap 25c | Navy Beans per pound 9c

Wild Rose Corn Per Bushel 25c | [illegible] Per Bushel 35c

YOUNG MERCANTILE COMPANY

New Studebaker Coach a Beauty



Every inch of it is full Standard Six elements, which has set new records in [illegible] or reliability and durability. [illegible] Full lifting crown [illegible] which the whole body—[illegible] fashion—has been built a comfort.

Elsewhere in one of the outstanding characteristics of this Coach. Ample clearance between folding seat and the door-post-wide cushions, [illegible] driver and the passenger of the folding seat, plenty of leg room for all [illegible] things are conspicuous.

[illegible] entrance; rear windows are nearly as wide as the doors. The rear seat back is high, giving restful support.

[illegible] is woven from inches [illegible] in the grey-blue color [illegible] stripe effect on cushions [illegible] and durable. It covers the easy, deep, springy, durable cushions which have given Studebaker such a reputation for riding comfort and reached in any other car at any price.

A New Convenience

The back of the folding seat can be tilted forward to enable rear-seat passengers to enter or leave the car with the frontal components of the folding seats to get out.

Dashcast cap is winged and ornamental in enamel. Running boards are aluminum-bound on all four sides, changing a heavy, navy linoleum mat, rubber-cemented under pressure to the board. Itself, so it wont crease or ruf up.

Inside the car, an automatic windshield cleaner and rear-view mirror; a gasoline gauge showing gallons, assembled with all the other instruments under one oval glass, indirectly lighted at one a shes a complete graph of how his whole car is operating; a mercoscope plate—these are driver features. Outside, as is the case-piece, fully ventilated windshield. Rear-quarter and door window regulators are of the crank type.

Carnish moulding on door sills and rear-quarter windows is of walnut finish. Doors have elaborately panelled pockets and the rear window is shielded by a silk curtain.

Wheels are natural wood finish. There is a combination stop-and-tail light. The rear tire carrier has a dust proof lock and the spare tire is protected and beautified with a heavy flap apron.

On Standard Chassis

The Studebaker coach has a cowl ventilator, operated with the foot and inside, the adjustable floor board is of heavy, embossed aluminum, abutting the foot and fold depths. Cowl lights are of distinctive, turpoise shape. The dome light has its switch right on the lamp [illegible]

All this is mounted on the Standard Six Chassis without a single elimination or curtailment. This means the big, 50-horse power engine which has already established so many records with its reserve of power

It means big, powerful brakes—set braking area in proportion weight so any Gary this extraordinary ease of steering that speeds, engineering gave, in designing the steering equipment to accomplish the big, full sized balloon tires. And the [illegible] tires, wider and with deeper overhang than on almost any other car, fitted to the deep heavy frame with six cross members for rigidity

The entire lighting control has been placed on the steering wheel, right at finger tips, so that, to dim the lights, the driver need not take his eyes off the road at a critical time, nor need he [illegible] hunting for the switch

The convenient brake lever projects out from and under the instrument board, out of the way, yet geared more easily than before.

Space advance has been made automatic, tan.ng itself exactly by the speed of the engine, and the driver has one thing less to think about. The spark advance lever has been taken from the steering wheel, as a result.

To and foot fatigue, a ball-type foot accelerator is provided, to which pressure may be applied from any point of its circumference; now the foot rang rest fairly and comfortable on the aluminum footboard, which abuts out all dust and mud dwaugh

As on all [illegible] the oil, retaining [illegible] or going through the engine, returns within a circular screen, so that the grit and sediment never reach the reservoir of oil. The entire crankcase can be drained without getting under the car and without soiling the hands, by turning a valve which is located beside the engine oil filling pipe

The Standard Six Coach will appeal to everyone who seeks high quality in a low-priced car.

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Four of the Most Popular "Bobs"

Front and profile views of the most popular bobs in the Movie Fashion World are shown here. Left to right —Etta Lee, "Princess of the Orient," with a shingle bob; Clara Morris, "Nayna McKeiter's Regal Bondmaid," with a soft marcel bob; Sally Rand, picked by Cecil De Mille as the most beautiful girl in America, with a paper cut bob, and Camille Evans, "The Girl With the Coins Philips Acts in," with a Dutch bob.

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Peanut Bars	per pound	.20c
Peanut Brittle	per pound	.20c
[illegible]	per pound	.20c
[illegible]	per pound	.25c
[illegible]	per pound	.25c
[illegible]	per pound	[illegible]

I HOP WISHING THAT I WAS A SCHOOLBOY AGAIN.
THE OLD HOME TOWN
OUR BOARDING HOUSE
ENTIRE WAY OF CLAIR, MY GOOD MAN.... HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN AN EXCLUSIVE CLUB?— I AM AN HONORARY MEMBER, AND I CAN PUT THROUGH YOUR
TO ONLY SEVENTY-FIVE MEMBERS, AND THERE IS ONE VACANCY AT PRESENT!
Drink Water &
Kidneys Suffer

Back From The Market!

Starting Saturday, February 28th

A TEN DAYS SELLING CAMPAIGN

O[illegible] from the markets and now handle [illegible] Spring [illegible] of most leading houses in the country. O[illegible] and [illegible] for [illegible] are [illegible] to [illegible] per [illegible] and [illegible] are going to pay these [illegible] prices [illegible] and [illegible] to the people of Benton and vicinity. If you have [illegible] pedling [illegible] Come or Dont. Be sure to come, as the sizing will be good. Open [illegible] promptly on Saturday morning, February 28. A ten days' reducing sale on Spring Garments.

E-X-T-R-A S-P-E-C-I-A-L-!	E-X-T-R-A S-P-E-C-I-A-L-!
$1.75 [illegible] $1.35	$1.75 [illegible] 95c

NEWEST CREATION IN MILLINERY

We will [illegible] Do Now Have [illegible] the latest patterns at a very special price.

$3.95 WORTH $6.00

$5.00 WORTH $8.50

GROUP 1—
[illegible] $14.75

GROUP 2—
around bottom—$35.00 seller— $23.75

GROUP 3—
[illegible] $18.75

GROUP 1—
Printed Crepe Dresses—values up to $30.75— $18.75

GROUP 2—
[illegible] $14.75

GROUP 3—
[illegible] $9.75

BASS FASHION SHOP

North-west Corner Square BENTON, ILLINOIS

STAR Theatre

[illegible]

Richard Talmadge

[illegible] and plot which hits on all eight cylinders—there is [illegible] entertainment! and **Wm. Desmond** in [illegible]

Good Luck Was Bad — TOKIO—Masao Kusuoki, 15-year-[illegible]

Strange T. B. Cure — NONGKONG—Dr. Linhoucheng of [illegible]

Pearls in Cocoanuts — THE HAGUE—Dr. Dudgeg, a explorer, has found perfect milk white pearls in cocoanuts. The pearls vew in a rare species of cocoanuts.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE

W Church. Phone 418R. 49t2

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment [illegible]

FOR SALE—eggs for setting, pure White Wyandotte, 75c for 15 eggs or $4 per 100.—Mrs. Clyde Starr, 2 miles east of Benton [illegible]

[illegible] and out buildings.—Call at News office. [illegible]

[illegible] and Oil Company plant. Phone 101. 39t15

[illegible] 406 W Webster. [illegible]

[illegible] Hot Springs road, ¼ mile from church and ½ mile from school, on pub- [illegible]

[illegible] inquire at [illegible] 41tf [illegible] Freeman.

[illegible] Herscoh, Sidney Drew, Joseph Dowling and Templar Saxe.

Husband Murderer (In Four Parts)

[illegible] tative of English society and [illegible] society [illegible] audience. Crooks, as tissant and scientifiers [illegible]

[illegible] those seemingly impossible [illegible] nevertheless, real life situation where it is necessary for them to [illegible] complexities to avoid an impending [illegible]

The situation finally circles itself [illegible] before the course [illegible]

[illegible] farm of the St. Clair county circuit court.

Mrs. Pittman, a frail slender woman [illegible] and

That she was subjected to almost continual abuse from her husband, [illegible]

"Pep-Elixo"

[illegible]

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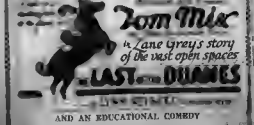

Tom Mix in Zane Grey's story of the vast open spaces

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AND AN EDUCATIONAL COMEDY

Coming Saturday—Reginald Denny in The Reckless Age

FOR RENT—modern furnished light housekeeping rooms, 818 North Main. 49tf

FOR SALE—Lot No. 6 in Hickland add to Benton. A bargain if taken at once.—Peacle Bled. [illegible] Illinois. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Two extra good [illegible] [illegible]—200 W. Main or [illegible] 38tf

[illegible] Phone 64

FOR SALE—[illegible] Laila and carnation [illegible]

[illegible] 806 West Main [illegible]

Berlin. Electric light and hot cook cooks in four new German hotels will be provided by steam. Water gas from Diesel engine will go thru [illegible] The hotel [illegible]

Notice To Tax Payers

The Tax Books are now in the hands of the undersigned for collection. Pay Personally for [illegible] and save cost.

[illegible]

[illegible] tains extensive freight yards there.

Benton Evening News

FRANKLIN COUNTY'S HOME DAILY

MRS. PITTMAN ACQUITTED OF KILLING MATE

Tells Jury of Harsh Treatment By Her Husband Who Was Slain While Asleep.

BELLEVILLE, Ill., Feb. 23.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. Dilhe Pittman, of ... Bepo, Ill., was acquitted of a charge of murdering her h... Pittman, following jury deliberation of more than two hours in the ... Clair county court here yesterday.

Mrs. Pittman, a timid, slender woman, seemed unable to comprehend the significance of the verdict. Friends and relatives rejoicing at the turn events had taken, led her from the court room.

State's Attorney Lindauer did not comment on the verdict. At no ...me in his prosecution of the case had he held out for the death penal... In his address to the jury, Lindauer asked that a recommendation for a long prison term be made.

Pittman, a railroad employe, was killed with a shotgun while asleep in his bed. On the witness stand yesterday, Mrs. Pittman told of the indignities and harsh treatment her husband had subjected her to. On one occasion, she said, her husband had beaten her unmercifully and she had been obliged to remain in bed for three weeks.

L. P. Zerwek, Mrs. Pittman's attorney, based his defense plea on temporary insanity and self-defense.

ZEIGLER MINE BREAKS RECORD FOR HOISTING

Being the World's Largest Mine

The hoisting record of Zeigler mine ... was broken twice last week and came within a few tons of the new record another time, says the Zeigler News. The record hoist for this ... which was established on the 28th of August when 6,932 tons were hoisted within eight hours, last week when 7,053 tons were hoisted within eight hours. On Thursday the hoist reached 6,952 tons, to be surpassed again on Saturday when 7,257 tons were hoist... Two years ago this hoist would have been a world's record, but up to now has been surpassed by only three mines, Zeigler No. 1, Orient No. 1 and Valier.

At the time this mine was sunk plans were made for the most economical method of handling coal, but no effort was made to make it the ...'s largest coal mine. It was thot its capacity would be from 5,000 to 6,000 tons per day, but with the employment of special efficient management and efficient employees and proper organizations, this mine has stepped into the class of the largest coal mine the world has ever seen. A great deal of the credit for the large production during the past month must be given to Henry Taake, who accepted the position as mine manager in September of last yea...

In hoisting the 7,257 tons of coal on Saturday, 1677 dumps were made with in the eight hours, despite an interruption of a few minutes. For the entire day three and ...half dumps with four and three-tenths tons of coal were dumped every minute. More than a ton of coal was mined, hoisted and dumped every fifteen minutes. Every three minutes a railroad car of coal was loaded and removed from the tipple to the yards. During the eight hours a hundred and fifty-one railroad cars were loaded.

With the record which No. 2 mine is ...king the indications are that within ... short time it will contest with the Zeigler No. 1 mine to the title as the "World's Largest Coal Mine."

Child Has Grass in Lung

Little "Jimmie" Engl... ...an Antonio (Tex.) girl, is now ... Louis to undergo a perilous operation—removal of a blade of grass from her lung. The ... four years ago, has worked through ... lung. Money to defray expenses of ... operation was collected by San Antonio citizens ... made the trip to ... Louis in a private Pullman, provided free by railroad officials ... brought her doll with her to keep her company.

TWO MORE IN TOWN RACE

Perry Britton and Ben Harrell Are New Office Seekers.

Perry Britton is a new name that has been added this morning to the list of candidates for township office. Mr. Britton authorizes the announcement of his name as a candidate for Assistant Supervisor of Benton township, running on the Democratic ticket.

He is a life long resident of Benton, and needs no introduction at ... hands to the voters of the township, who will be glad to learn th... he has decided to enter the race for this important office.

He is a man who, if nominated and elected, would see that the people he represents would get a square deal so far as the county administrative affairs are concerned.

Ben Harrell For Constable

Ben Harrell, another popular Benton man, is in the race today for township office. Ben seeks the nomination as constable on the Republican ticket and will no doubt make a good showing when the Benton township primary election is held.

He has never asked for any elective office before, and his friends who have been urging him to make the race feel that he is due every consideration at the polls on primary day.

If nominated and elected Mr. Harrell would no doubt make Benton township a capable and effic...t officer.

Columbus' Map

Paris—The map which Christopher Columbus prepared in 1491 to prove that the world is round has been placed on exhibition in a Paris museum. It is one of the oldest maps in existence and formerly was in the private rooms of Cardinal Mazarin.

... LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 23.—(By A. P.)—Snug in her white bed in a hospital ward, "Jimmie" English, the 11 year-old San Antonio, Texas, girl who came here for an operation to relieve a long abcess caused by swallowing a grass top four years ago, is passing the time comfortably while necessary medical examina... go forward.

Dr. Evarts Graham, specialist, will not operate for several days and possibly for two weeks. ... pictures have been taken and are being carefully examined.

Postural drainage, meaning the removal of pus obscuring the abcess by regulating the patient's position, has been restored to in an attempt to facilitate examination.

"It is a cheerful room little "Jim... shares with 24 other girls and boys, all "surgical cases," and her remarks to hospital attaches, who exchange quips with her, indicate that she is not downhearted.

PRESIDENT OF GERMANY DIES

Death Follows Operation For Appendicitis Last Tuesda;

BERLIN, February 28.—(By A. P.)—Friedrich Ebert, the first president of the German Republic, died at 10:15 this morning from peritonitis which followed an operation for appendicitis five days ago.

The former saddle maker, whose skill in guiding the infant republic through its first turbulent years of its existance was acknowledged even by his bitter enemies, made a gallant fight for lift but his system had been undermined by an attack of influenza before the operation and his heart was not equal to the burden imposed by the poison, which had spread thruout his system.

The President apparently on the road to recovery after his operation for appendicitis Tuesday morning, suffered a sinking spell at 5:00 this morning. Herr Ebert was first taken seriously ill last Monday night when hurriedly summoned physicians diagnosed his case as appendicitis. He was ... ation performed at ... day morning.

JOHNSTON CITY

ANNA, Ill., Feb. 23.—(By A. P.)—Jonesboro defeated Johnston ... to 12 in an Egyptian ...

LOGAN FIVE WINS PRELIMINARY FROM DAHLGREN

Game Was Full of Thrills and in Doubt Until Final Whistle; Score Was 18-16.

The Logan Branch of Benton Township High School won a pretty game from Dahlgren High school, as a preliminary to the Benton-Mt. Vernon game last night. This evens things up for these two teams, the Dahlgren lads having won from Logan on the Dahlgren floor, in an overtime game earlier in the season.

The game last night was a game of see-saw, first one team taking the lead and then the other, but when the final whistle blew Logan was in the lead by two points, 18-16. The teams are very evenly matched, and there is no dope as to the probable winner ...

... gren leading in a 2-0 score. Logan and Dahlgren both showed more speed ... the second quarter, and the Logan boys had a one-point lead 8-7 at the end of the half. Bell registered two field goals and two free throws and Briley got a field goal for Logan's scores in this period.

Dahlgren started the scoring in the third quarter, getting two field goals in rapid succession, and then added to the misery of the Logan team by counting another point on a free pitch when a foul was called on Logan. Heard caged a pretty long shot after his team mates had missed several easy set-ups under the bask... The quarter ended 12-10 in Dahlgren's favor.

Bell tied the score early in the last period, but a Dahlgren player scored a long shot and it is ... of ...

... points on free ... gin to look blue for Logan. The fans got a kick out of a field goal by Bell and then went wild when Neal caged a two-pointer that again tied the score. Bell put Logan permanently in the lead, however when he caged another ...

... ended 18-16 in Logan's favor.

FIVE BAKERS ARRESTED FOR SHORT WEIGHTS

West Frankfort Leaves Too Light, Constable White Finds

The proprietors of five local bakeries were arrested yesterday by Constable W. Calvin White on charges ... ...rt weight, says ...

... bakeries were selling loaves of bread which the label stated weighed sixteen ounces but which in some instances really weighed only, eleven ounces. Some of the loaves, it was alleged, bore labels that did not state the weight of the loaf at all.

The constable maintained that the law declares that the weight of the loaf of bread must appear on the label and that the loaf must measure up at the weight that is shown on the label.

The proprietors of the following bakeries were arrested: Home Bakery, Frankfort Heights Bakery, Opdyke Bakery, Foster Bakery and the Sanitary Steam Bakery.

All were arranged before Justice of the Peace T. A. Sinks where all except Foster pleaded guilty to the charge and were fined $...40 and costs each. Foster filed bond for ...

Dynamite F... MELBOUR...

SHELTON BOYS' SALOON SCENE DEATH BRAWL

Young Bartender Shot Trying to Take Gun Away From Proprietor of Hotel.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Februar... —(By A. P.)—A general order based on a charge of murder was issued today for the arrest of Art Newman, proprietor of a hotel here, following the shooting to death shortly after ... night of Charles E. Gordon, Jr., bar tender of a saloon conducted by Carl and Earl Shelton here.

Five women and two men, take... into custody shortly after the shooting made written confessions, chief of police Barry said, stating that Gordon was shot while struggling for possession of a revolver in the hands of Newman.

Viola McCabe, who said she is sweetheart of Gordon, is said to have confessed that the shooting followed a drinking party in the rear of the Shelton saloon.

Charles Osborne, playfully pushed his sister's hat down over her eyes and she slapped him in the face. Osborne thereupon struck his sister and her nose began to bleed.

At this moment Newman entered, the confession said, and saw the girls' nose bleeding pulled out his revolv... and started for Osborne.

... ed with Newman and in the ensuing struggle the revolver was discharged twice. One bullet entered Gordon's ... died in the hospital.

HOUSE VOTES ENGLISH QUIZ

Unanimous in Adoption of Resolution For Investigation.

WASHINGTON, February 23.—(By A. P.)—A resolution providing for the investigation of the charge against Federal Judge English of the east Illinois district to determine whether there is ground for impeachment, was adopted today by the House.

The resolution was approved without a dissenting vote. Representative Blanton Democrat of Texas, who objected yesterday, said he did so under a misapprehension.

Chairman Graham of the judiciary commitee said the committee had examined communications and sworn statements reflecting on Judge English's conduct and pointed out that the sub-committee which made a preliminary inquiry had recommended unanimously a thorough investigation.

"GURLEY" NEW CENTRAL STOP

There has been established on the Royalton branch of the Illinois Central ...

The passenger trains will hereafter stop at Gurley on flag. The location of the stop is at the second crossing south of Mitchell Junction and has been provided for the accommodation of the public.

Some years ago as a compliment to the owner of the Royalton mines the Junction was named, when established, Mitchell and was a clever recognition upon the part of the railway management of the sterling worth and value of the state of the man who put Royalton on the map.

Gurley likewise, is a compliment to ... M. A. Gurley, the popular and ... nd successful editor of the ... which its manager has ... ered in enterprising loyalty to the coal field, that has been opened ... Franklin County. Congratulations due Editor Gurley upon this recog... and the railway management ... to be felicitated in their ... ugement of this splendid boost... and efficient business man.

Miss Helene Ham of Mt. Vernon is ... nd guest of Miss. Ruth ...

BLINDS HUBBY

Married ... bliss of Mr. and Mrs. Darby A. Day Jr. of Chicago had a tragic ending. Mrs. Day hurled acid into her husband's eyes and then swallowed poison. Day will probably lose his sight. Mrs. Day will recover. He is the son of Darby A. Day, millionaire president of the Underwriters of ...

B. T. H. S. DIPLOMA ... FOR BENTON BOY

Letter From Miami Florida

Floyd E. Hall, member of last ... graduating class of Benton ... nship High school, writes the Evening News from Miami, Fla., where he has been for some time, and states that he has accepted a good position with the English Government, aboard shi...

He gives the Benton High school credit for enabling him to land this place saying that had it not been for his diploma from B. T. H. S. he would not have been employed.

His letter, in which he sends greetings to all Benton friends, and tells of his new position, follows.

"Dear Sirs. I am enjoying a splendid winter in Florida, among the palms and tropical sun. I am receiving your paper from my mother and welcome it very much as it is my own home town paper and a splendid one at that. I wish all my friends could enjoy the beautiful scenes in Florida with me as well as swims and orange eating. Please give my regards to Delmar Whittington and the members of the Knights of Pythias ball club. Tell them I am expecting big things of them this season and I am sorry that I wont get to be wi... hem as I am accepting a position with th... English Government aboard ship, between Nassau, an island in the Bahamas, and Miami, Fla., and points more distant. It is a fine position for a boy like me and I owe it ... Township High school, as I am a graduate from there and my high school diploma got me the job. I am closing with my best regards to my many friends and the representatives of the Benton Evening News.

Floyd E. Hall.
Miami, Fla.

ARREST SHORTY WATSON FOR PART IN ZEIGLER JOB

Suspected as Being One Who Took Part in Fake Raid

"Shorty" O. D. Watson, West Frankfort man, has been arrested as a suspect in the "raids" at Zeigler early this week when $600 is said to have been taken from the safe of a Zeigler pool room owner.

Watson maintains he is innocent, and filed bond for his appearance before the grand jury. He has been suspected in other misdemeanors, but has been fortunate in previous cases of ...

TIRED REDS LOSE GAME TO MT. VERNON

Brilliant Plays of Former Games ...shadowed By ... Trials Last N...

After starting out like ... and playing Mt. Vernon off their ... for the first few minutes of ... Maroon basketeers last night ... ump in the final periods and lost the fast King City five, 17-11.

It was in a way pitiful to ...

...ere not themselves, and ... Vernon was also crippled th... most of the game by the ... star, Marlin, from ... they played rings around the ... Inds in the third and fourth ... holding the locals scoreless these two periods.

Fry, Doty and Lowery were ... ally weakened through recent ... from which they are just ... and Ross and Samuels ... using their heads for ... nly playing basket ball.

Mt. Vernon played a great ... f basket ball, and their splendid ... p of players will make someone ... notice in the sectional tou... Centralia. There is a belief among local fans that they will more than likely face the Maroons ... the two teams have won ...

... Tabor this morning. He ... they need all the rest they ... from now until time for the tournament here next week, and string men will play at greater portion of the game. ... are two games scheduled with ... tonight, a first and second ... test, but Coach Tabor will try to ... it so that he will not have to use ... of the first squad men, if this is at possible.

First Quarter

Ross started the scoring and ... to the enthusiasm of the fans ... night when he caged ... pretty ... from the center ... f the floor.

... visitors, a... with another ...

... t me when Brooks caged another ... the Orange and Black. A foul called on Doty, but Moore ... for ... ton and left the score tied. 6-6 ... the quarter ended.

Second Quarter

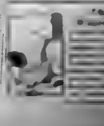
A personal was called on ... Brooks made one of the throws. Fry registered on a ... up from under the basket, and Mt. Vernon calls time out. Sims was ... for Lowery. A foul was called ... Threlkeld, but Fry missed the toss, but Samuels got a field ... as the half ended, 10-7 in ... favor.

Third Quarter

Kern and Moore both scored ... visitors early in this period. A f... was called on Brooks and Samuels made the free pitch. Forsythe ... nt in for Kern, and had not ... ng until he was given credit for a field goal. Threlkeld added another two-pointer for Mt. Vernon. Lowery replaced Sims, and Benton takes time out. A foul was called on Fry but Brooks missed the free toss. ... quarter ended 15-11 for Mt. Vernon.

Fourth Quarter

Marlin was sent in to replace Moore Brooks scored for Mt. Vernon. Phillips replaced Ross for a minute, then the little captain went back in, but ... scoring was ended and the final gun left the score 17-11 in favor ... the v... tors.



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"Study of citizenship is being left to dry-as-dust courses in civics, given in the last year of high school.

movies"—will argue ... we hope, will be getting adequate salaries.

Whatsename

Whoris and also Whatis ... re folks who've jumped to lasting fame. Just who they are, we cannot pi ... we know them by their face. The names apply to all the men whom we have met—then meet again.

New folks are introduced to you amid the usual "how do do." Their looks a set impression make, but mumbled names just fail to take, and later on the knowledge shamed that you now them by their names.

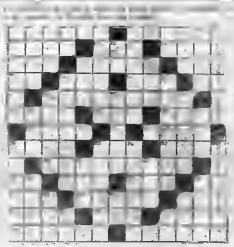
you own 'wita' end, for at the times when names you ... An introduction's dire. What ...

President Coolidge will be received once a week and then ... distance panel at WEAF, New York City, where the inaugural speech of ...

Estate of Josiah N. Brelfoo, Deceased.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

By Frank Wethedler



HORIZONTAL

23. Note.
24. Revive.
25. Jay.
26. Organ.
29. Clock.
32. Moderate.
33. Weaver.
34. Blown.
35. Sharpe.
36. Delight.
37. Superlative of good.
38. Indians.
39. Dissolve.

VERTICAL

1. Ignorance.
2. Apprehension.
3. Worship.
4. Thaf.
5. Lass.
6. Intelligent.
7. Tag.
8. Inner.
14. Pastry.
17. Preparing.
20. Squeeze.
22. Twenty-first letter.
34. Achievements.
35. Bird.
36. Meadow.
40. Proceed.
41. Pool.
42. Priests's residence.
43. Exit.

Fiat Wethedler

There is a sound reason for the church and there is an equally sound demand that the church be given the support of every person interested in the moral welfare of the community.

When you come to think about it, the church is the only institution which shoulders as a continuing obligation that sublime instruction which ...

...ions Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Worship services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Junior church 2:30 and Epworth ...

last Sunday in March to Easton Sunday.

W ...

our happy Sunday evening services. Sermon topic "Christian Debtors." Brief to the point message. Glad singing. Special music numbers. "Whosoever will may come."

Even though the weather was bad last Sunday, the attendance at every service was very gratifying. And judging with the attendance, the interest in every service was high and heartening. Tomorrow, at the usual hours, the regular services of the church and Bible School will be held. Let us have a bigger attendance.

Interest will be manifest.
Tomorrow morning.

...is a series of sermons planned for the winter and spring months.

The program Sunday evening will be sponsored by Miss Crystal Walker and she will no doubt be greeted by ...

...cerely desire to express our hearty thanks to all who have been so kind and helpful to us during the illness and death of our dear companion and devoted mother and sister. We especially wish to thank the ministers, Rev ...

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PERSONALS

ART LEAGUE TO MEET IN BENTON

The Southern Illinois Art League will meet in Benton Monday and Tuesday. About thirty-five photographers representing the different towns of Southern Illinois will be present. There will be no settings at the Machiels studio on these days.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS HOLD MEETING

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors was held last night in the K. P. Hall, with a very good attendance. Miss Grace Smith was initiated. Lovely refreshments were served during the social hour.

RUSSELL WALLACE TO PREACH HERE SUNDAY

Russell Wallace of Ewing will preach at the First Baptist church Sunday at both morning and evening services.

QUEEN ESTHERS TO MEET MONDAY

The Queen Esther Circle of the M. E. Church will meet Monday evening March 2nd, at the church. Every member is asked to be present and bring someone with them.

ENTERTAINS AT PINOCHLE PARTY

Miss Vivian Dorris entertained a few friends at a pinochle party last evening at her home on West Main street, for Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burkitt who are leaving Tuesday to make their home in Moline, Illinois.

Cottage Cheese made daily, we gladly deliver. Wardland Dairy, phone 722. 250tf

John Crain of West Frankfort was in Benton on business this morning.

Carl Choisser made a business trip to DuQuoin yesterday afternoon.

Billie "Strawberry" Wells of Royalton was in Benton this morning.

Rev. S. E. Fisher is ill at his home on South Main street.

Fay Upchurch is spending the week end with relatives in Harrisburg.

Hasty Kiefer of DeSoto transacted business here today.

$400 cash, buys 3-room house and furniture complete. No further payments. 49t1

Miss Mural Fredericks of Mascoutah arrived last night for an extended visit with Miss Hattie Coxon.

Emmett Troutt of Royalton was a visitor in Benton today.

Mrs. V. H. Center is ill at her home on 6th street.

Mrs. Jess Lewis is spending the week end in St. Louis.

Erskine Clarke of West Frankfort was in Benton this morning.

NOTICE TO R. A. MASONS

There will be work this evening at 7:30 in the R. A. M. degree. Please come. Refreshments.

Miss Wanda Sybow is spending the week end in St. Louis.

Miss Gloria May Johnston of Fairfield is visiting friends in Benton over the week end.

The Delphia Society will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Choisser on McLeansboro, street.

It is very important that all members of Mrs. Kell's Sunday school class be in their places at 9:45 Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Pope of DuQuoin is guest of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Alvis.

Marion McClintock of West Frankfort was a business visitor in Benton this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Webb and their guests Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Foster will spend Sunday in DeSoto with Mr. Fosters sister, Mrs. Laura Foster Crims.

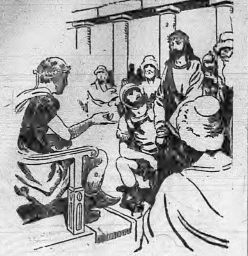
All sportsmen should hear Rev. Neil J. Allan, Monday, March 2nd, at the Elks Hall. Southern Illinois Sportsmen League Convention.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Little left this morning for Grant Park, Ill., where Rev. Little will preach the funeral services of Alonzo Jones, Sunday.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of two sons and brothers, Chris and George W. Tipling.—Ever to be remembered by mother, father and sisters.

Christ Before Pilate



TEXT: MATTHEW 27:11-26

And Jesus stood before the governor, and the governor asked him, saying, Art thou the King of the Jews? And Jesus said unto him, Thou sayest.

And when he was accused of the chief priests and elders, he answered nothing.

Then said Pilate unto him, Hearest thou not how many things they witnesses against thee?

And he answered him to never a word; insomuch that the governor marveled greatly.

Now at that feast the governor was wont to release unto the people a prisoner, whom they would.

And they had then a notable prisoner, called Barabbas.

Therefore when they were gathered together, Pilate said unto them, Whom will ye that I release unto you? Barabbas, or Jesus which is called Christ?

For he knew that for envy they had delivered him.

When he was set down on the judgment seat, his wife sent unto him, saying, Have thou nothing to do with that just man; for I have suffered many things this day in a dream because of him.

But the chief priests and the elders persuaded the multitude that they should ask Barabbas, and destroy Jesus.

The governor answered and said unto them, Whether of the twain will ye that I release unto you? They said, Barabbas.

Pilate said unto them, What shall I do then with Jesus which is called Christ? They all say unto him, Let him be crucified.

And the governor said, Why, what evil hath he done? But they cried out the more, saying, Let him be crucified.

When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but that rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person; see yet to it.

Then answered all the people, and said, His blood be on us, and on our children.

Then released he Barabbas unto them, and when he had scourged Jesus, he delivered him to be crucified.

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for March 1; Christ before Pilate; the trial of Jesus.—Matthew 27:11-26.

BB WM. E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor of The Congregationalist

JESUS stood on trial before Pilate, but it was Pilate who was really being tried. He who posed as judge had stood condemned throughout the ages.

History has been full of such strange reversals of judgment.

The despised prophet, stoned or disregarded in his own generation, has frequently been the chief occasion for the world to remember htat generation.

Though the Christian movement had not gathered great external strength when Paul wrote the words, he was a true seer when he wrote of God choosing "the weak things that are mighty, and the things that are naught to bring to naught the things that are."

Pilate regarded Jesus with the not unkindly contempt which the man of ambition, and power, and success, has for the impractical man, the dreamer and visionary.

There is no indication of venom, or of hatred, or even of prejudice and antagonism. If there is any prejudice it seems more against the accusers of Jesus whose fanaticism and rabid intolerance Pilate seemed to regard with scorn.

There is evidence in the narrative that Pilate, assuming at first toward Jesus an attitude of amused and careless contempt, tended to assuming a measure of respect and fear. He discovered that he had before him no vague and ordinary dreamer.

What Is Truth?

There was the calm dignity of a king in this Galilean carpenter, and when Pilate asked him, apparently teasingly, "Art thou a king then?" he was hardly prepared for the answer:

"Thou sayest that I am a king. To this end was I born, and for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness unto the truth."

The cynical retort, "What is truth?" was the reply of a man on the defensive, weak and doubtful in the presence of a man of calm assurance and conviction.

What we ought to realize is that Pilate was as much responsible for the death of Jesus as Judas, who betrayed Him, or the Jews who demanded His death, or the soldiers who actually crucified Him.

The sin of Pilate—the sin of a weak impartiality in relation to moral and spiritual issues, the sin of cynical self-satisfaction and sordid self-preservation, the sin of a worldly ambition which flouts all spiritual considerations and questions of truth—is much more widely prevalent than the sin of Judas, but it is no less deadly in its consequences.

What is our verdict? Does He fare better before us than He fared before Pilate? Do we state that we "find no fault in him," but none the less send Him away as Pilate did?

Knew He Lied

Pilate took water and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, "I am innocent of the blood of this just person."

But he knew that he lied.

No ceremonial can cleanse the guilt of a man who has consented to wrong, by not doing what is in his power to prevent it.

It is easy to say that Pilate was a coward, but it is more important to discover the things that made him a coward.

What were they? Vanity, ambition, lust of performent and power, cynicism, and the failure to find any law of justice and right and service.

The Pilates have been many, but there is only one Jesus of Nazareth.

They have been seemingly triumphant, but the world is strewn with the wreck of their rule and empire, while the King of Truth still goes forth conquering and to conquer.

Mrs. W. H. Alvis and Mrs. W. H. Gilmore were guests at a Bridge party in Mt. Vernon yesterday given by Mrs. Leota Ham and Mrs. Grant Fearheiley.

Miss Thelma Fuller will have as her guests tomorrow, Miss Freda Andris, and Dickey McKenney of Marion and Charlie Baumgaertner of Johnston City.

Today's Radio Program

WMAQ, Chicago News—6 orchestra; 8 Russell Pratt, Fred Daw; 8:30 photologue; 9 Chicago theatre.
WGN, Chicago Tribune—6 organ; 6:20 ensemble, quintet; 8 chorus; 10 dance, orchestras.
WLS, Chicago—7 trip to Australia; 7:20 national barn dance; 11 Senate theatre.
WEBH, Chicago Post—7 orchestra; 9 dance, readings, vocal; 11 orchestra; songs readings.
KYW, Chicago—7 concert; 8 musical, Youth's Companion; 9:35 Congress classic; 12 carnival; 1 a. m. Insomnia club, Nighthawks.
WLW, Cincinnati—0 concert, quintet, lafafone.
WTAM, Cleveland—8 dance.
WOC, Davenport—6:30 Sandman; 7 religious discussion; 9 reader, vocal, pianist; 11 dance, songs.
KOA, Denver—10 dance.
KTHS, Hot Springs—8:30 cellist, pianist; 9:15 organ; 10 frolic.
WOS, Jeff City—8 music.
WHAS, Louisville—7:30 concert, readings, pianist.
KHJ, Los Angeles—8 orchestra; 8:30 children; 9:30 talk; 10 trip to Mt. Lowe; 2-4 a. m. Lost Angels.
KNX, Hollywood—8:15 instrumental; 10 vocal, instrumental; 12 orchestra; 1 celevrities of Hollywood.
WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul—8 philosophies; 8:15 talk; 8:30 musical; 10 dance, saxophone quartet.
WEAF, New York—6-11 entertainment, dance.
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WHN, New York—6:30 health talk; 6:25 orchestra; 7:30 dance; 8:45 tenor, pianist, entertainers; 10:30 dance.
WOAW, Omaha—6 dramatic; 6:30 announced; 6:45 program; 9-10 popular pianist; 11 Nightingales.
WCAE, Pittsburg—6:30 Uncle Kaybee 6:45 special; 7 road talk; 7:30 concert.
WGY, Schenectady—8:30 dance, song.
WBZ, Springfield—6:15 history sketch 6:30 trio; 7:15 trio; 8 vocal; 8:30 baritone; 8:45 play, musical.
KSD, Post Dispatch St. Louis—8 symphony.

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Alexander's Record Tops Leagues

Fourteen Seasons In The Majors and Always a Winning Pitcher

By NEA Service

CHICAGO, February 27.—To be a big league pitcher for 14 seasons is considered a real feat, especially in these days of lively baseballs and free hitting. But to hurl as many campaigns without once falling below the .500 mark in the averages is something even more out of the ordinary.

That's the record that Grover Cleveland Alexander of the Chicago Cubs has hung up since coming into the majors. And it rates as one of the greatest pitching feats in modern base ball annals. It is even more noteworthy considering the class of teams he has had to work with as a rule.

Alexander came to the big show as a member of the Phillies back in 1911. He got away to a splendid start, winning 28 games and losing 13. It was only the beginning of a meteroic career, however. For ever since then the big fellow has been dishing out a winning brand of stuff. His major league record reads: 300 victories and 157 defeats, an average of .656.

All told, Alexander has topped the 20-mark in victories on eight occasions And he has reached or got over the 30-game class three times. Over a three-year span—1915-16-17—he collected 94 triumphs to but 35 defeats, and average of .729. He is one of the few hurlers who have turned in at least 30 wins three seasons in a row.

One of Big Alex's greatest assets has been control. Like Christy Mathewson and Babe Adams of more recent times, Grover could put a ball in almost any spot he wished. His ability to toss them where he wanted to was uncanny, to say the least. In 1923 he went through his first 51 innings without allowing a single base on balls. He handed out but 30 walks throughout the entire season.

Alexander has been in just one world series, that being in 1915. He has been with the Cubs since 1918. His record surely speaks for itself.

ALEXANDER'S GREAT RECORD

Year	Won	Lost	Pct.
1911...	28	13	.683
1912...	19	17	.543
1913...	22	8	.733
1914...	27	15	.642
1915...	31	10	.756
1916...	33	12	.733
1917...	30	13	.698
1918...	2	1	.667
1919...	16	11	.593
1920...	27	14	.659
1921...	15	13	.536
1922...	16	13	.552
1923...	22	12	.647
1924...	12	5	.706
14 years	300	157	.656

Frankfort Dopester Picks "Red Birds" to Win District Tournament

Feels Possibility of Benton Making it Tough Sledding For West Frankfort; Picks Elkville as Class "B" Champion.

The Frankfort American sports writer has it all doped out. He has picked the class "A" and class "B" winners in the District basketball tournament here next week, and he did not fail to include his own team as the winner of the district honors. He indicates a slight fear of Benton's Maroons, but does not seem to take the locals seriously in making his selection. Following is the "dope" as he sees it:

"The Daily American's sport scribe approaches his task with some fear and not a little trembling. Upon picking winners, he is just about as reliable as Grantland Rice. Nevertheless here goes.

"The title at Benton as he sees it, lies between Frankfort Community High and the Benton Maroons. He doesn't figure that any other five has better than an outside chance to cop. Elkville is his choice outside of the two Franklin County teams, Elkville, he believes, should have no trouble in taking the Class B title.

"The little Perry County team should not be pushed to defeat the weak Zeigler five in the first game of the tournament at 7:30 o'clock, Thursday evening, March 4.

"The Frankfort Community High Red Birds ought to be easy victors over DuQuoin which has had an in-and-out season. DuQuoin's greatest achievement, perhaps, was a victory by one point over Benton, at DuQuoin. Later Benton avenged this defeat by thoroughly trouching the Indians at Benton. DuQuoin made an excellent showing in the recent invitational tournament held there, winning second place, although beaten twice by Pinckneyville. Following close on their fine showing in the meet, the Indians beat Salem. Against such teams as Centralia and Mt. Vernon, however, Du Quoin has failed to make a very good showing. They have been continually improving all the time, though, and should make things rather interesting for the Red Birds.

"If the Birds play the sort of game in the tournament that they have been exhibiting during the last month, however, they won't beat anyone in the district meet.

"As between Thompsonville and Coulterville, there appears little to choose. These two teams meet in the third game of the meet which will be played at 8 o'clock Friday morning. Thompsonville is the American's choice for victors in this game.

"Benton tackles Pinckneyville in the fourth game of the tournament, at 9:15 o'clock, Friday morning, March 5. Pinckneyville has a good team this season, having beaten Centralia, no easy thing to accomplish. Mt. Vernons second team and second team subs beat Pinckneyville, however, three weeks ago, so the American's scribe doesn't figure that they will seriously menace the county seat Maroons.

"Galatia is picked to down Willisville in the fifth game of the meet, which will be staged at 10:30 o'clock, Friday morning.

"The sixth game of the tournament—the First of Friday afternoon's session will begin at 1:30 o'clock. According to the American's dope, it will bring together the Red Birds and Sesser, a team which drew a bye. This should be a fairly easy game for the locals as Sesser is not considered in Frankfort's class.

"The seventh game of the meet (Friday afternoon at 2:45) if the American's prophesies are worth anything will be an encounter between Elkville and Ina, another team which drew a bye. Elkville ought to take this game without a great deal of exertion.

"Benton is figured the winner in the Christopher-Benton tilt, the 8th on the program. The time of the eighth game will 7:30 Friday night, March 5. Christopher has played Benton close in previous encounters this season, but it is believed that the Maroons will not have difficulty in eliminating them from competition.

"The Galatia-Thompsonville battle is another one which is a puzzler to the American sport scribe. Thompsonville is his choice to go into the semi-finals against Benton, however, although Galatia might prove a "dark horse" and eliminate the Franklin county boys. This ninth game is scheduled for 8:45 o'clock on the second night of the district meet.

"According to the dope of the American typewrited pounder this leaves Benton against Thompsonville in the second semi-final game, at 2:15 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Benton should win easily. In the Elkville-Frankfort game, scheduled for 1 o'clock, in the mind of the local dopester, the fans will get a "hot one." The Red Birds will down Elkville, it is believed but they will realize that they have been through the mill. Outside of Benton, Elkville is the strongest foe that Frankfort will have to face, it is that. And this despite that fact that Pinckneyville won the DuQuoin invitational tournament in which Elkville was a competitor.

"The battle which Elkville is expected to put up against Frankfort will make the going tough for the Birds in the final game against Benton for the championship, Saturday night, March 6. For while Benton will have a chance to put in second string players against Thompsonville, it will take all that Frankfort has to beat Elkville. The Birds will enter the game with Benton more fagged out that the Maroon players, this sport scribe believes.

"And yet he sees another district championship for Frankfort. Frankfort has beaten Benton and Benton has turned the tables. Each team has beaten the other on the opponent's floor. The score at Benton was 13-7. The score here was 17-13. The teams are both pretty evenly matched. Benton's record is perhaps the better although Mt. Vernon was beaten by the Red Birds and Mt. Vernon tamped Benton.

"The final battle this season ought to be much closer than it has been for the last three years. The Birds are predicted to win because it is the belief of the American's sport writer that the locals will snap out of their slump before the tournament. If, as it is reported, the Birds' slump is due largely to failure to keep training rules, and failure to get sufficient sleep at night, the boys who wear the cardinal and gray will undoubtediy live up to the rules from now on until the tournaments are over."

Many bargains in new and second hand articles are advertised in the Classified Column. Look it over.

BUCKNER

By RUTH [illegible]

Bob and Andy Snider went to St. Louis this morning.

Mrs. Euel Carter spent Friday and Saturday in St. Louis.

S. W. Breeze, accompanied by Mr. Veach of Christopher drove to Anna Saturday night to attend a telegraphic meeting.

Mrs. Eugene Griffin and children are in St. Louis visiting her mother.

The program given by the school children for the benefit of the Knights of Pythias, Saturday night was very much enjoyed by everyone. After the program, Rev. J. L. Meads of Johnston City gave a very interesting address on Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harris and Charlotte Davis were in Benton yesterday.

Harvey and Ed Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence West and little Maxine Craig were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. West yesterday.

Mrs. Minnie McGherio and son of Herrin are visitors at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Fiorina.

Pete Fidyk, Steve Passiponkra, Anna Disko and Frank Dennis went to DuQuoin yesterday to see Frank Disko who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Breeze spent Sunday in Thompsonville.

Mrs. Pauline Lessick left for her home in Kansas City, Friday morn, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marie Ceaser.

Little Jacke Hillman is very ill with pneumonia fever.

Steve Ploshe was a business visitor in Du Quoin this morning.

Fred Wilbur spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. McCann.

Verle Adams is out of school with her eyes. Dr. Moore of Benton is attending her. This is the first day of school Verle has missed since she started five years ago.

Mrs Ruth Russell had a hemorrhage of the lungs Saturday night and is still confined to her bed.

Roy Magner, who has been very sick with pneumonia for the past ten days, was able to return to his work in Valier this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Porro, Katie Porro and Ernest Scarlet motored to DuQuoin yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McCann, Mrs. Clementine Hindman went to church in Benton yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schranko went to the dance in Valier Saturday night.

AKIN

Marie Chaplain visited part of last week with her Uncle, Ellsworth Chaplain

Roxie Shepherd visited part of last week with her Grandfather Uncle Dan Frailey.

John Cremeens and wife called on Orlie Cremeens and wife Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Claude Cremeens of Logan visited here last week.

Mrs. W. H. Foster spent Tuesday of last week with her mother, Mrs. Matt Summers.

Roxie Summers called on Mrs. Paul Chaplain Monday of last week.

Mrs. Lester Walker of Benton visited last week with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Davidson.

Mrs. Commodore Darnell has been on the sick list but is better at this writing.

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We are authorized to announce that JESSE R. GRAINGER will be a candidate for Supervisor of Boston, township, subject to the will of the voters of the Republican party at their primary or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that WALTER T. MOSIER will be a candidate for Supervisor of Boston Township, subject to the decision of the voters of the Democratic party at the primary election when held.

We are authorized to announce that CARL L. GRAINGER will be a candidate for Supervisor of Boston Township, subject to the decision of the voters of the Republican party at the spring primary or caucus when held.

For Assistant Supervisor

We are authorized to announce that ELZA PAGE is a candidate for Assistant Supervisor of Boston Township, subject to the will of the voters of the Republican party at the primary election when held.

We are authorized to announce that HENRY PULE is a candidate for Assistant Supervisor of Boston Township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at the primary election when held.

We are authorized to announce that PERRY BRITTON is a candidate for Assistant Supervisor of Boston Township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at the primary election when held.

For Justice of the Peace

We are authorized to announce that C. O. DILL is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Boston township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the township caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that J. A. GALLOWAY is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Boston township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at their primary election or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that O. A. MOORE, of Logan, is a candidate for Justice of the peace of Boston township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at the caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that M. N. WEAVER is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Boston Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the township caucus or primary when held.

We are authorized to announce that W. W. WILSON is a candidate for Justice of the Peace and Justice of the Peace of Boston township, subject to the will of the voters of the Republican party at the primary election when held.

We are authorized to announce that OTO. H. MOORE, will be a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace of Boston township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at their spring primary or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that J. E. DENNIS is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Boston township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary or caucus when held.

For Constable

We are authorized to announce that A. L. KINKADE will be a candidate for Constable of Boston township, subject to the will of the voters at the spring primary.

We are authorized to announce that J. KELLEY is a candidate for constable of Boston township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary or caucus when held.

We are authorized to announce that Charles D. (JIMMY) MILLER is a candidate for the office of Constable of Boston township, subject to the will of the voters of the Democratic party at the primary or caucus when held.

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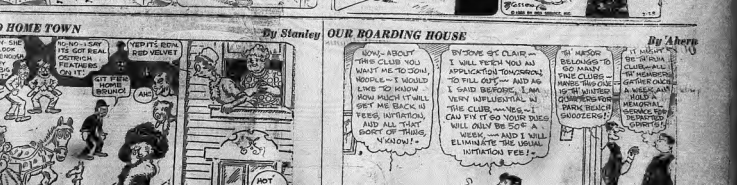

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern

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Today is the third quarters examination day. We are hoping that our pupils will be able to make good grades as we feel that this quarters work has been well done. In fact, we think it has been done better than any thus far.

There will be a basketball tournament at the high school gym tomorrow afternoon and night. This tournament is held each year among the ninth grade rooms and cops are given to the winners. All five schools where ninth grade work is offered, have entered teams in this tournament. There will be three games tomorrow afternoon, beginning at 2:15 and two games at night, beginning at 6:45. There is a small admittance charge. This is done in order to defray the expenses of the tournament.

We ask pupils to find comfortable seats and then stay in them. We do not want our pupils running over the gym while the games are in progress.

The school bank report for this week shows the following rooms 100 per cent:

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